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## Strontium 90 Rises —Blasts or Not

WASHINGTON (UPI)—A government scientist testified yesterday that radioactive strontium-90 in human bones will increase about 14 times in the next several years, even if there are no more nuclear weapons tests; Dr. Wright Langham said this will bring strontium-90 in man up to 10 per cent of the international "maximum."

## Phone

## Around World For 20c

WASHINGTON (UPI)—A scientist said yesterday that radio-relay satellites might soon make it possible to telephone any point in the world for 20 cents.  
The advice came from Dr. Lloyd Berkner, president of the International Scientific Radio Union.  
He said the satellites would revolutionize the world communications business and advised industry to prepare for it now because "this is coming, and it is coming fast."  
Berkner added that one satellite hovering in a fixed orbit about 22,700 miles above the earth, could relay 2,000,000,000 telephone messages a year.

## Outcry To Die —Bennett

KELOWNA (CP)—Premier Bennett told the board of trade here Wednesday night outcries by labor leaders against British Columbia's new trade union act will soon "fade away."  
"It has to fade and die because the union people themselves know just as well as you and I that it is good legislation," he said.  
Mr. Bennett said that if the Social Credit government were remembered for nothing else, he would be content if it were remembered "as the government of all the people."  
"The government will continue to resist pressure groups and defend the rights of trade unions, businesses and individuals," he said.

## Theft Suspect Flown Here

A man to be charged today with thefts from several homes in Saanich and Sidney dating back to December, 1957, was flown to Victoria last night from Chatham, Ont., where he was arrested by RCMP Monday.  
Cpl. William Stanton, in charge of Sidney RCMP detachment, who brought the prisoner from Ontario, said RCMP had been looking for the man since January this year.  
Cpl. Stanton left here Tuesday morning and returned shortly before midnight last night, after flying an estimated 5,000 miles.

## Little People Ask Chance At Rockets

HOLLYWOOD (UPI)—The Little People of America, an international organization of midgets, appealed to the Pentagon last night to allow midgets to aid the U.S. satellite program by riding in the rockets.  
Nels Nelson, four-foot vice-president of the group, said the organization was writing to the United States Air Force ballistics missile division to protest that the satellite program snubbed little people "against all the advice of science."



## Youngsters Save Toddler from Drowning

With near-drowning incident still vivid in his mind, three-year-old Terry Troughton, 620 Raynor, rests in bed after being rescued from Selkirk Water by Jamie Ryan, 11, of 658 Pine, centre, and Edward Chute, 12, of 556 Raynor. See Page 17.—(Colonist photo.)

## Job Insurance

## Pocketbooks Little Lighter

OTTAWA (CP)—Workers and bosses will find the new federal unemployment insurance legislation a little tougher on their pocketbooks.

The government proposes to boost insurance rates by 30 per cent without increasing average benefits—the money you can draw when jobless.  
However, there are some concessions. The maximum insurance period will be increased to 32 weeks from 36. Insurance will be extended to a higher bracket of wage-earners and the money the government allows jobless to make on the side will be increased without cutting into the weekly insurance benefits.  
There's also a concession for prisoners. They'll be able to get insurance protection while serving up to two years in prison. Present rules cover prisoners serving only up to 44 weeks.

All this was disclosed in the bill now up for debate before the Commons. Unemployment insurance authorities said one main reason for the proposed higher rates—shared on a 50-50 basis by workers and employers—is the need to replenish the insurance fund, hit by recession and unemployment.

During the last 28 months, the fund out of which insurance benefits are paid has been reduced to some \$500,000,000 from the record \$927,000,000 in December, 1956.  
At present, wage-earners making up to \$4,800 a year are insured. The new legislation will boost this ceiling to \$5,460.

## Officials Talk Of Red Visit

NEW YORK (AP)—Officials in Washington are talking seriously about the possibility of a visit to the United States this year by Nikita Khrushchev, the New York Times says.

## Don't Miss

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## Television's Best

Big batch of Emmys—television's Oscars—went last night to show business veterans Fred Astaire and Dinah Shore. Dancer Astaire's one-hour spectacular last fall won nine Emmys, most for a single show in the awards' 11-year history. See story, Page 3.—(AP Photofax.)

## Russian Professor's Theory

## Martians Live Underground

WARSAW (UPI)—A Warsaw newspaper yesterday quoted a Russian professor as saying Martians may be living underground.  
Prof. Aleksander Kazancev told the newspaper Zycie Warszawy in a Moscow interview that evidence is mounting of intelligent life on Mars.  
The Soviet professor cited recently developed theories that:  
—The great explosion in Siberia 50 years ago was caused by the crash and disintegration of a nuclear-powered space ship, possibly from Mars.  
—The two moons of Mars are artificial satellites launched centuries ago.  
—An atomic explosion was sighted on Mars two years ago.  
Kazancev said intelligent life on Mars may have disappeared from the surface eons ago and may have developed artificial oxygen to survive underground. He said earth scientists have been successful in tests on creating artificial oxygen.

## 'We Can't Afford It' Slashing Session Theme

By R. O. MARRION

With "we can't afford it this year" as a motto, city council yesterday made record-breaking cuts in estimates and arrived at a tax-rate of 49½, up 2¼ mills.

Council set this year's budget total at \$8,868,153, also a record-breaking figure and \$710,000 higher than last year's.

But in three days' sessions, it cut \$360,000 from preliminary expenditure estimates. This, officials were sure, had never been equalled. Most of the cutting was done yesterday.

Higher assessments this year on older homes—council's main reason for the cutback—rob "average" figures of meaning.

But for a typical fairly modern home, land assessed at \$800, house at \$5,200, the tax increase would be \$10.57 this year, or 4¼ per cent.

For a typical older home, with land assessed at \$800 and the house assessment boosted from \$1,800 to \$2,700, the tax increase would be \$38.42, or 37.6 per cent.

## Whole Boost to Schools

Although tax bills will indicate that the school rate has increased 1¼ mills, actually the whole 2¼-mill increase is in school costs, beyond city council's control. The equivalent of more than one-half mill has to be turned over to the school board from general revenue.

In slashing the estimates as much as it did, council exceeded the recommendations of city comptroller Dennis Young and even the hopes of many of the aldermen.

The comptroller had recommended that because of the burden this year on owners of older homes, council cut approximately \$230,000 from estimates for "special" expenditures aimed at development rather than maintenance.  
Council, still vigorous after cutting a \$22,500 a swath through ordinary parks and boulevards estimates of \$394,000, found another \$47,000 to cut from the special expenditures, on top of the recommended reductions.

For a start, the aldermen cut out \$33,572 for installation of arterial mercury lighting, as recommended by the comptroller.

City Manager C. C. Wyatt proposed that council at least leave money for new lighting on Oak Bay Avenue east of the Junction: it was just like driving into a tunnel, he said.

"It's desirable, but we can only go for necessities," said Mayor Percy Scurrell.  
The council moved on to delete \$1,980 for extra lighting of three important intersections, a reduction not recommended.

## Cut Out Road Work

It cut out road work on Douglas 'beside Beacon Hill Park, Foul Bay from Oak Bay to Port, Vancouver from Fort to Pandora and the Skinner extension, all as recommended, and half the price of a new deck for Johnson Street bridge, not recommended.

Traffic signals for Fort and Richmond were approved, but not a signal for Quadra and Johnson. The mayor said he used the intersection all the time and it wasn't bad.

Nor new signals for Johnson and Wharf— "What's wrong with that?" the mayor asked.

When it came to proposed expenditures for park development, council made a clean sweep, in line with the comptroller's recommendations, so fast that the other aldermen suddenly doubted that parks chairman Ald. M. H. Mooney was aware of what they had done.

"I'm aware of it," he told them. "I'm just sitting back worrying about it. It was done in a flash, passed bang! The whole thing was hocus-pocus. Perhaps you could put the whole of parks out too the same way, without discussing it item by item."

"These small parks are important—little communities are entitled to some services. But bango, without discussion out they go."

On reflection, Ald. Hugh Ramsay proposed reinstating an estimate of \$5,670 for development of Pemberton Park, which he said council had promised the residents of the area as a condition of sale of city-owned lots.

"Alderman Ramsay, we just haven't got the money this year," the mayor told him.

## Wouldn't Go Away

Council wouldn't go along with the alderman's proposal, but later restored \$2,015 for development of Wesley playlot off Haultain.

After council's attacks on the parks budget, chiefly led by Ald. Geoffrey Edgell, Ald. Mooney said he would oppose a grant for the Chamber of Commerce and an increased grant for the Victoria & Island Publicity Bureau. Like these bodies, the parks drew tourists to the city, he said.

The publicity bureau asked for a \$14,000 increase to its \$45,000 grant of last year. Alderman Mooney proposed reducing the grant.

"You are benefitting just the same as anyone else," Mayor Scurrell told him. "You annoy me more than somewhat. When we are spending \$400,000 on parks you have no right to complain."

Council, after considering Victoria's comparatively low per-capita spending on tourist attraction, voted to increase the grant by \$5,000.

The Chamber of Commerce asked for \$3,500 instead of the \$3,000 granted last year, but was given \$2,500.

Alderman Mooney also opposed allocating \$25,000 as usual this year for charitable and other grants. This year, he said, charity should start at home.

But council disagreed with him.

Council maintained the business tax at last year's rate.

"You can't increase that," Mayor Scurrell said. "We are taxing the merchants all they can stand."

## City Tax In Brief

Mill-rate set at 49½, up 2¼.  
Increase for typical fairly modern house, \$10.50.  
Increase for typical older home, \$38.50.  
No increase in business tax.  
Water rate may rise late in year.



DONALD GORDON  
... 'wasting time'

## Not Running CNR Right? 'Fire Us'

OTTAWA (CP)—CNR President Donald Gordon Wednesday told the Commons railway committee it should have him fired from his \$75,000-a-year job if it does not like the way he runs the railway.

The boss of North America's largest railway said bluntly to the committee that it is wasting time questioning him on small and local matters.

"I suggest," he said, "that you should be concerned more with how we eliminate our deficit rather than our serving cafeteria meals on trains."  
"If you come to the conclusion that we are not an efficient management, for God's sake fire the lot of us."

## Logger Dies In Loading Accident

A Vancouver Island logger was killed when a log slipped during loading operations at the Bear Creek camp, Port Renfrew, yesterday.

Victim was Steven Kuznicki, about 50, of nearby Harris Creek.

Witnesses said Kuznicki was standing on top of a truck directing the loading when a short log slipped from the loading tongs and struck him on the head, knocking him from the truck onto the ground.





## ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

United States General Nathan F. Twining, chairman of the joint chiefs of staff, is scheduled to be invested with Victoria's "Order of the Garter and Crummet."

The ceremony is to take place May 16 in Oregon City in connection with the Oregon Military Centennial.

The Order of the Crummet and Garter is a bit of funny business that our tireless tourist promoters dreamed up.

A touring Victoria Chamber of Commerce party conferred this order upon a number of Oregon people during a recent goodwill tour.

The victim is called upon to eat a fragment of raw

crummet. Then he rolls up his trouser leg to the knee, and a gaudy garter is fixed to it.

In return for membership in this unusual order, the Victorians were made members of the Grants Pass, Ore., Cave Men. During the Cave Men ritual, they had to consume a piece of raw beef.

There are numbers of other screwball clubs and decorations, each with its own ceremony—the Coos Bay Pirates, etc.

### Garter for the Governor?

Oregonians were so taken with the light-hearted antics of the Victoria crowd that they issued a special invitation for another party to go down and confer the crummet and garter on General Twining, and also—perhaps—on Governor Mark Hatfield of Oregon. Merle Brown, head of the military centennial celebrations, and movie star Robert Cummings.

Members of the chamber look upon it as a fine stroke of international goodwill, and a lucky break for Victoria.

"There won't be a doughboy in the U.S. who won't get a kick out of seeing General Twining roll up his pant leg for the garter ceremony," one member of the group told me. But there's always someone spoiling the fun.

### Education Department Changed

## 'Grabbing Profit'

### Last Rites Set Today For Pioneer, Soldier

Funeral services for Victoria pioneer and soldier, William Charles Winkel, 78, of 150 Douglas, who died Monday, will be held today at 3 p.m. from Sands funeral home.

Starting a life of adventure, Mr. Winkel came to Victoria from England in 1888 and received his early education here.

Following a surveying assignment in the Klondike, he enlisted in Strathcona's Horse and served in South Africa before representing Victoria at the Coronation of King Edward VII.

On his return, he served a number of years with the B.C. Provincial Police before turning to construction and engineering work.

He was associated with

many local construction projects, including the Ross Bay seawall, Ogden Point elevator and Craigflower bridge.

During the First World War, Mr. Winkel received a commission while serving with the First Canadian Pioneer and the Canadian Engineers.

After the war, he was appointed district vocational officer for the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment. At one time he was a member of the Conservative party provincial executive committee.

He is survived by his widow, Irene, at home; a son, Albert, 581 Prince Robert Drive; two daughters, Mrs. A. W. J. Smith, 3500 Upper Terrace; and Mrs. E. D. Ironside in Ottawa; three grandchildren, a brother and four sisters.

## The Weather

May 7, 1959

Cloudy with sunny periods. Little change in temperature. Light south winds. Wednesday precipitation, nil. Sunshine, 12 hours, 30 minutes.

Recorded Temperatures High—57 Low—42

Forecast Temperatures High—58 Low—42

Sunrise—5:46 Sunset—8:36

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Mostly cloudy. Little change in temperature. Winds southeast 15 in Georgia Strait, otherwise light. High and low at Nanaimo, 65 and 37.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Mostly cloudy. Occasional rain in the northern part, tending to spread southward. Little change in temperature. Winds southeast 15, occasionally 25 in the northern part and light in the south. High and low at Estevan, 55 and 40.

### Ship Calendar

NAVY  
HMCS R. Laurent returns today.  
HMCS Acadia and New Waterford return tomorrow. HMCS Saguenay returns Sunday.

MERCHANT SHIPPING  
Victoria—Harpago, Haralampo, Redwater.  
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Nanaimo—Archangelos, Theodoros.  
Tahiti—Klaus Schuler, Hermerdyke.  
Harmac—Nuevegranda.  
Almeri—Franklin Court, Mormac.

### Today's Events

Miss Gloria Perry, Victoria College student, will describe the 1958 Commemorative Youth Movement. Guest at joint meeting of Victoria Rotary Club and Rotary Annex, 12:10 a.m.

Empress Hotel—B.C. Surveyor-General, G. S. Andrews will discuss the "Colombia Plan in Southeast Asia" at the meeting of the Oak Bay Yacht Club, 6:15 p.m.

Yacht Club—Burrby's Golf will discuss broadcasting of the Seattle yacht race at the Y's Men's Club meeting, 8:30 p.m.

Y.R. Foster, provincial pathologist, will speak in the Victoria and district chrysanthemum growers meeting, 8 p.m.

City Hall—Vagabond Club meeting, 8 p.m., YVCA.



DEBRA PAGET  
... pneumonia



ELVIS PRESLEY  
... spectaculars

### Names in the News

## Band Strikes Up Wrong Anthem —Book Out of Date

LONDON—Embarrassed bandmaster E. W. Jeans admitted his 1910 War Office manual on national anthems may be a bit out of date.

The band played the wrong national anthem Wednesday at an international soccer game between Italy and England.

Instead of "Mameli's Song," the band struck up "The King's March." Italy became a republic in 1946.

Italian team trainer Giovanni

Ferrari said, "Our players were amused and certainly not offended. We scarcely recognized the tune in any case."

But in Rome, left-wing deputies brought out furious resolutions.

LAS VEGAS—Actress Debra Paget is in hospital with pneumonia after collapsing as she prepared to appear for the midnight show at the Flamingo Hotel.

HOLLYWOOD—Elvis Presley will start a once-a-year series of television spectaculars for ABC next spring, when the rock 'n' roll singer gets out of the army.

WASHINGTON—Gen. Laurence S. Kuter has been named commander-in-chief of the North American Air Defence Command, effective July 31.

HOLLYWOOD—Eddie Fisher says he and Elizabeth Taylor will marry in Las Vegas, Tuesday, with Michael Todd Jr. as best man. Debbie Reynolds' California divorce does not become final until next February, which means that Fisher and Miss Taylor will not be able to live as man and wife in this state until then. They will go to London.

OTTAWA—Peter John West, 24, bought a new sports car and took Christopher Renshaw, 5, and Christina Renshaw, 7, for a drive. The car was struck by the CNR's No. 2 passenger train bound for Montreal. All three were killed.

BEAUMONT, Tex.—Thomas Jefferson Jones, 58, told police he killed Mrs. Elsie Huffstutler, 48, and Mrs. Alpha Belle Hille, 49, because they laughed at him about being arrested for drunk driving.

DETROIT—Jamie Jones, 40, got so irritated when his wife nagged him as a poor fisherman Tuesday he deliberately walked off a Detroit River dock into the water. He was pulled out.

LONDON—Home Secretary R. A. Butler rejected a petition from 150 MPs for commutation of the death sentence of Ronald Marwood, 24, knife-murderer of an unarmed London policeman, who is to hang Friday.

## McPhillips Demands Price Gordon Doesn't Answer

OTTAWA—Victoria federal member, A. de B. McPhillips, failed yesterday at the Commons committee examination of the CNR to learn how much the publicly-owned corporation was paid for "a piece of Victoria waterfront property."

The Progressive Conservative member of Victoria asked the question of CNR president Donald Gordon during the Commons committee's annual examination of the affairs of the railroad. But he didn't get an answer.

The demand that he supply the information on the Victoria property sold in 1947, three years before Mr. Gordon became boss of the CNR, caused the first vote in two committee sittings during which members had bombarded him with questions.

Mr. McPhillips' motion was defeated 10 to 4. He got the support of Conservatives John Drysdale (Burnaby-Richmond), William Creaghan (Westmoreland) and CCFer Douglas Fisher (Port Arthur).

Liberals and other Conservatives went along with Mr.

### Fire Chief Didn't

## Two Stations Heard SOS from Ferngulf

VANCOUVER (CP)—The

Point Grey marine radio station and the United States Coast Guard in Seattle said they received two SOS messages last Friday when the Norwegian freighter Ferngulf was hit by an explosion that tore apart her midsection.

Vancouver Fire Chief Hugh Bird and his deputy, Elmer Sly, told city council here Tuesday night that the vessel did not send an SOS.

Six of the freighter's crew suffered burns and one of them died.

At the council meeting, where the mayor was instructed to set up a special committee to seek co-operation in financing and staffing a new fireboat to protect Vancouver harbor area, Chief Bird said he was convinced only a

call for aid went out from the freighter.

Chief Bird, who said he was unable to send the city fireboat outside limits because of regulations and red tape, told council in a special report that

two other vessels passed by the Ferngulf at the time of the incident.

"If there had been an SOS, would these freighters have ignored the Ferngulf?" he asked.

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## Fred Dances Off With Emmies

HOLLYWOOD (UPI)—Fred Astaire danced off with nine Emmy statuettes last night in the 11th annual television shindig, stealing the thunder of highly-rated horse operas and detective shows.

The slight, balding 60-year-old dancer, upset by members of his camera crew picketing the awards program, made only a brief "thank you" address on behalf of his 90-minute "Evening with Fred Astaire" last fall.

### PICKET PARADE

Formally dressed pickets, striking cameramen and technicians, paraded in front of show spots in Hollywood, New York and Washington, bearing placards reading "walkout" and "NBC-unfair."

Jack Benny won as best actor in a comedy series and for the best comedy series, Dinah Shore was hailed as the best actress in a musical series and her Sunday night show was tagged the best musical or variety series.

Perry Como won the male musical award.

Julie Harris of "Little Moon of Alban" was selected for the

best single performance by an actress.

Perry Mason did the honors for the private eyes, with Emmies for Raymond Burr as best lead in a dramatic series and Barbara Hale as best supporting actress.

### MAVERICK BEST

Gunslingers were represented by Maverick as best western. Dennis Weaver—who plays the gimpy deputy to Marshal Dillon in Gunsmoke—was named best supporting actor in a dramatic series.

Ann B. Davis was best supporting actress in a comedy series for Schultzie on the Bob Cummings Show.

One of Steve Allen's gang, Tom Poston, was named the best supporting comedy actor.

Other repeaters were Edward R. Murrow, best news commentator; What's My Line, panel quiz; Omnibus, best service program; and Playhouse 90, dramatic series.

### FAST PIGEONS

Racing pigeons have been timed at more than 90 miles an hour over an 80-mile flight.

## Warden Says:

# Time to Help B.C.'s Indians

### Parents Try

## Indians Working To Learn

PRINCE RUPERT (CP)—The Chant royal commission on education was told here Wednesday that Indian parents are now making a greater effort to give their children a proper education.

A brief from the Port Edward school said Indians in general are showing greater interest in professional careers and many are well advanced in their studies in this field.

School principals suggested Indian day schools should not be operated as distinct units from public schools. Public schools should be established on all Indian reservations where there are enough pupils, except in areas where there is a public school for both Indian and white children.

Trustees recommended a provincial salary scale with zone differentials to enable northern and rural school boards to "retain a sufficient economic advantage to offset less favorable factors."

VERNON, B.C. (CP)—Warden William Teal of Kamloops jail Wednesday told a conference of B.C. magistrates here the time has come to help the province's Indian population better itself.

Mr. Teal said, "He (the Indian) feels he's a second-class citizen."

"I'm not here to say when he should become a full citizen, but the time has come that if he ever is going to be changed, it should be soon."

### WELL BEHAVED

"Under proper supervision they are willing workers, discipline well and are well behaved at all times."

Warden Teal said 71 per cent of Indians serving jail sentences in Kamloops were imprisoned for liquor offences.

"It is my opinion that if we did something about liquor we wouldn't have that percentage," he said.

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## News Briefs

VANCOUVER — Steve Bohack, 40, and William Stewart, 35, Wednesday were convicted on a series of narcotics charges arising from the seizure of a record \$200,000 in drugs.

WASHINGTON — U.S. state department hopes to send the smash musical comedy hit, "My Fair Lady," to Russia next year.

CARDIFF, Wales — A crippled plane skinned over a stadium jammed with 600 school children and crashed in an open area. At least four persons aboard the plane were killed.

LONDON — Two doctors' admissions that they have used drugs to hasten the deaths of incurable patients are spurring fresh debate on the merits of "mercy killings."

## 'Itinerant' Preacher Billy Attacked by Anglican Synod

WINNIPEG (CP) — Efforts of "itinerant and highway-advertised evangelists" such as Billy Graham were attacked Wednesday by the annual synod of the diocese of Rupert's Land.

A report, presented to the synod by Canon J. C. Clough, said the diocese rejects the idea of a city-wide evangelism crusade in Winnipeg.

Canon Clough said the Lambeth conference, the highest Anglican body, had defined evangelism as "confronting a person with the person of Jesus Christ."

"The word evangelism too often becomes associated with spasmodic efforts of itinerant, highly advertised evangelists whose work, no matter how good it is, is often sporadic and

has no relation to the continuing Christian life in the community.

"The work of evangelism is much greater."

He said local parish missions are better prepared "at the present time" to meet the needs of the Anglican community.

There is no "sure-fire technique" in spreading Christianity, he said. But the right concern for neighbors and relatives, who were not active Christians, translated into "humble, prayerful action" was the start to evangelism.

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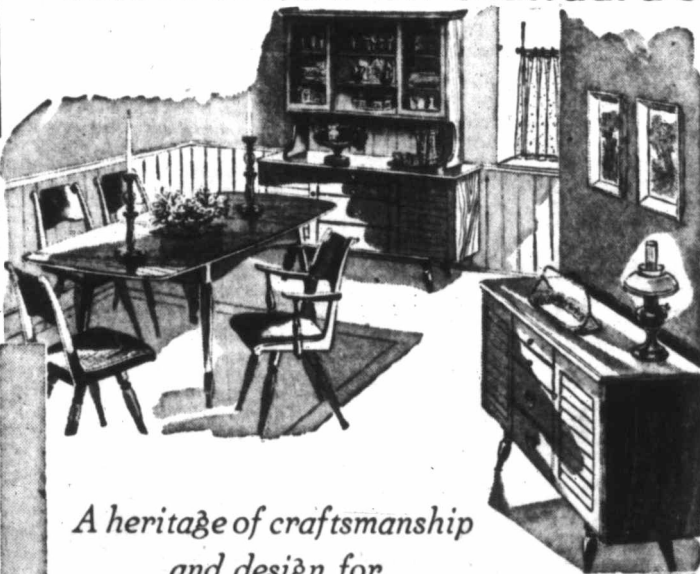
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## Mr. Smith Versus the City

FOR reasons which this paper is unable to comprehend, Mr. J. Donald Smith is endeavoring to nullify the affirmative vote of the ratepayers last December on the City's pedestrian mall and parking building by-law. Having failed in his attempt to induce the minister of municipal affairs to intervene, Mr. Smith has invoked the process of law to halt action by the mayor and council on the proposed new development, basing his case on an allegation that the vote was not properly taken.

As a citizen Mr. Smith has a right to go to the court on the issue he has raised; and now that the matter is sub judice the merits of his case, or of the City's defence, may not be commented upon. Without dealing with the issue itself or implying any improper motives, it is appropriate to note the responsibility he has assumed in instigating court action.

As a member of the legislature and a former alderman of the city Mr. Smith may be presumed to be aware of the consequences of filing suit. He has tied the hands of the council, and they must remain tied until the court has delivered judgment. Time is an important element of this project. If it is to materialize there is much to be done besides the closing of part of a street and the

erection of a building. There are properties to be acquired by negotiation, some buildings to be taken down, and various other preliminaries to be attended to.

It was the City's intention that work should begin at the first of the year so that the mall could be ready for the Christmas trade. Because of this unforeseen legal impediment that hope has now vanished. Private building projects involving some millions of dollars also may hinge upon construction of the mall, with promise of commensurate relief to the general taxpayers. Those plans, too, must remain in a state of suspension.

If the public interest is to be placed foremost, Mr. Smith's first responsibility is to do everything he can to have this case brought speedily to trial. Five months have passed already since the ratepayers gave their decision—more than sufficient time, one would presume, for Mr. Smith to marshal the evidence he will need to support his approach to the court. The provisions whereby litigation may be delayed are inserted in the interest of justice, to permit each side reasonable opportunity to obtain witnesses and prepare its case. They are not put there to enable anyone to hinder the speedy determination of a suit.

## Undue Delay

CRITICISM is fairly consistent over the prime minister's delay in naming a successor to the late Dr. Sidney Smith, who died almost two months ago. Undoubtedly had the portfolio been any other than that of external affairs a new incumbent would have been appointed, even on an interim basis, right away. Mr. Diefenbaker has said he will name the new minister as soon as possible, but the delay suggests either of two things.

It could mean that the prime minister is finding difficulty in determining who should be Canada's foreign affairs minister, which might suggest his cabinet is short of the particular talent for the post. Much more probable is the likelihood that with the imminent big-four foreign ministers' conference next week, and a prospective summit meeting to follow, he prefers meantime to hold the reins himself. Canada is not directly concerned with these gatherings, but as it is a leader among the lesser powers Mr. Diefenbaker may want to remain on hand personally for any developments.

## An Intensifying Problem

AN engineering report advocating installation of sewers in all of the urban areas of Saanich, and including some condemnation of the current use of septic tanks in certain areas, brings to the fore one of the long-range problems of that municipality. If Saanich is to care progressively for yearly enlarging numbers of homes being built within its confines and the resultant rapid development of urbanization, not only sewers will be necessary. Drainage and water supply are other facets of the same problem. No one of them can be determined without reference to the others.

If Saanich is to be made ready for a potential population of 100,000 within the foreseeable future—a goal that appears in no sense improbable—then some basic thinking will need to be done on the whole question. Sewers have to be flushed. Low-lying areas must be drained. Water for domestic and land use is the most vital need of all. And all three are closely linked together.

Saanich may not like the thought of such wholesale needs at an installation cost that can only be imagined, but sooner or later the present arrangement of patching and postponing must come to an end and adequate dispositions made for the future permanent development of the area.

Victoria went through this stage of its growth long ago. It was fortunate in its early access to a serviceable water supply. Its sewers, surface drains and flow lines, have gradually been recast, and with some exceptions it is chiefly the question of renewals that may remain as a problem now. The basic pattern has been set, and it is being followed. With Saanich, in its development surge, it is still a case of installing a foundation system for water, sewers and drainage which will be adequate to the expanded needs of the future. Concern over septic tanks in the inner wards is only part of that problem.

## Interpreting the News

### Obstruction Begins

By GEORGE KITCHEN  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

DWIGHT D. Eisenhower is beginning to suffer some of the political aches and pains of what is known in the United States as a "lame duck" president. In American political parlance that term is applied to a chief executive who begins to lose power and prestige because his term is running out; either constitutionally, as in the case of Eisenhower who by law cannot run for a third term, or in the event of a defeat in the November elections which precede the formal change of power in January every four years.

As his time runs out a lame-duck president, even in the comparatively favorable position of Eisenhower who has never been defeated at the polls, finds the political going increasingly tougher.

His own followers realize that he can offer little effective campaign support in the next presidential election, despite his authority. His foes in Congress, mindful that his drawing power with the public will wane as election time approaches, tend more and more to thwart his legislative plans.

The effects on Eisenhower's political position are already beginning to show.

They are apparent in the way the Democrats tried recently in Congress to override a presidential veto on a relatively unimportant bill dealing with rural electrification. They managed to override the president in the Senate, but lost by a bare four votes in the House of Representatives.

The effects also were evidenced in the bitter political row that developed over Eisenhower's nomination of Mrs. Clare Booth Luce as U.S. ambassador to Brazil. Mrs. Luce finally won confirmation, but resigned within a few hours on the ground that the congressional attacks by the opposing Democrats had reduced her effectiveness as a diplomat.

The Luce nomination is not the only Eisenhower appointment under fire in Congress. Six months ago the president nominated Lewis L. Strauss, former chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, as his secretary of commerce. Strauss, after months of committee hearings, still is awaiting his confirmation.

## Thinking Aloud

"... of shoes—and ships—and sailing wax—of cabbages and kings."

By TOM TAYLOR

THE concatenation of human things is not to be denied. I had just looked at the picture destined to be above this morning when the office post brought me one of those blue airmail letters from abroad.

I had to open it to discover the sender, and then he was linked with the yachts you see over my head. He was not a yachtsman but my last remembrance of him was as a sub-lieutenant in Royal Navy blue.

The sea then, as it were, not to mention a fast aircraft, brings us together again.

Truth to tell, I was puzzled at first, noting the writer's name and address as "I MacPhun, V Beach." The name indicated some whimsy but there is only one V Beach in the lexicon of my memory and that is in Turkey.

That was right, too, for the signature—"Lockhart"—was as a voice spanning the years. I had not known whether it was still or yet in tune.

Strange the ways of human association. People meet, are in close contact for a year or so, and then go their separate ways—to the ends of the earth perhaps. Often accident alone rejoins them.

My friend had learned, only last week, that I had been in Glasgow a year ago. I wrote then that I had visited my old regimental drill hall for a nostalgic hour, and there had met a former associate. In turn he met Lockhart the other day, casually, and lo an airmail letter to Victoria, British Columbia.

I remember Lockhart very well. I do so primarily because his moral courage has remained vivid all through the years.

He was then a tall, resolute corporal who read his Bible, didn't swear, smoke or drink, and who cast the mantle of his protection over a group of mere boys, including yours truly.

If we were restive under his shield the fault would be ours.

Looking back, though, I sense him as of heroic mould, for to have strong moral values and display them in the regimental climate of those days required immense intestinal fortitude. More guts, putting it inelegantly but appropriately to its setting, than walking up Krithia Nullah in broad daylight.

He could do that too, as it happened, as blandly as he could rebuke the blasphemer.

I shall write him, although keeping this note about him secret. He mentioned other names belonging to 40-years-back, which recall others of whom I wonder. We all do this, of course, when the years are bridged by an unexpected letter.

Presumably Lockhart has changed since I knew him, since my own mirror tells me time does not stand still. I am sorry I didn't meet him a year ago, but perhaps this was for the best.

For then time cannot efface the mental picture I have of as staunch a figure as one could know—on or off the battlefield.

## Gerald Waring

### Reports from Ottawa

WE'VE had the Fleming formula for more money for the treasury, the Rand formula for more money for the auto workers, and the Sommers formula for more money for Sommers.

Now herewith the Waring formula for more money for MPs.

There are, of course, two sides to this question of more pay for MPs. Our elected representatives in Ottawa assert with considerable strong feeling that \$8,000 a year plus a \$2,000 tax-free expense allowance isn't enough. They point to the extraordinary expense of living away from home six or seven months a year, election expenses, the costs of keeping political fences in repair, the need to live up to one's station, and the difficulty of an MP holding an ordinary job or carrying on a private business.

There's also the new and reasonable argument that inflation has compounded the MPs' financial difficulties.

The other way to look at it is that if they don't like the deal they can quit; that they make more than do 97.8 per cent of their employees, the taxpayers; and that they should not vote themselves raises when they are increasing everybody's taxes because of government overspending which they docilely approved.

I think Prime Minister Diefenbaker acted wisely if, as reported, he told his Tory MPs privately that while he sympathizes with them, the time is not opportune for a pay boost.

Perhaps Diefenbaker took this position because he believes in equal treatment for all, and that MPs as well as the people who elected them should share alike in the current belt tightening.

But perhaps the MP also was thinking like one raise-hungry MP who admitted frankly after the bud-

get that "A raise now would look like hell to the folks back home."

While I agree that MPs are underpaid, I also think that some of them are not worth what they get now. Fortunately the dunderheads and the slackers usually don't last too long. Either their party ditched them, or the voters do.

But veteran MPs are worth a good deal more than \$10,000. Why not pay them more? There's no valid reason I can see why experience and ability among MPs should not be rewarded in pay envelopes, just as they are in industry.

Of course it's not practical, for obvious reasons, for the boss to decide how much various individual backbench MPs, including those of the opposition parties, should get. But it is practical to pay MPs on a sliding scale based on seniority.

Try this, Mr. Diefenbaker: leave the basic pay at \$10,000 but give every MP an automatic raise of \$1,000 a year every time he is re-elected.

That would mean an MP could look forward to an increase of \$1,000 every three or four years. The increase plan would provide incentive, recognize experience and reward ability—for an MP's re-endorsement by electors is a good rule of thumb measure of his worth in Parliament.

Under this formula an MP with 19 years' service would get \$15,000 a year—a fair stipend for his experience, but no fortune. Even the Tory veterans of June 10, 1957, would get \$11,000.

In my opinion this plan would be much fairer to the MPs than the present basis of payment, or, to use the official terminology, "indemnity." I believe it would be recognized by the public as being fair. And it should take the heat off the government for pay increases.

The Waring formula would even solve the problem presented by the senators, who demand equal pay treatment with the Commons. They would be entitled to increases on the same basis—every time they were re-elected to the Senate.

## Washington Angle

### De Gaulle's Heroic Effort

By MARQUIS CHILDS

PARIS — France today is summed up in one man. That man is General Charles De Gaulle.

What was true a year ago is equally true now. Between the Fourth Republic and a future of dark and bloody uncertainty there was only De Gaulle. After nearly 12 months of the Fifth Republic the present and the future are still De Gaulle.

The general has made an heroic effort. He has undertaken to rebuild a centre of authority for a reasonable government freed of the splintering political factions that plagued France after 1945 and gave the Communists an opportunity to make as much trouble as possible.

But all of De Gaulle's efforts have been under the handicap of the continuing war in Algeria. This open wound has gone on draining away blood and treasure, with 400,000 French troops pinned down in the long drawn-out "pacification" of the Moslem nationalists and their National Front of Liberation.

In a small village near Bougie in Algeria a group of French settlers were seated in a bar the other day about to celebrate the election of a new mayor. They raised their glasses for a toast and at that point a bomb exploded, killing seven and wounding 12, among them several French soldiers from a nearby base. This kind of horror, repeated over and over, fills the French with fury and frustration.

They retaliate with torture and summary execution of captured rebels. Recently Roman Catholic chaplains with the French forces in Algeria wrote a letter of public protest against the methods of torture used against Moslem prisoners.

The way in which news of this letter was treated in France, with only a few lines in the press, illustrates one of De Gaulle's problems. Public opinion as it normally operates in a democracy is virtually non-existent in France today. The moderate centre De Gaulle hoped to build up as a buttress for his drive to reshape the destiny of France has not materialized.

In his year in office he has done many things. He has revalued and strengthened the franc, increased taxes and cut subsidies, including veterans' pensions, put in a new constitution curbing the excesses of the National Assembly and concentrating much power in the presidency which he occupies.

Under his ardent apostle, Deputy Premier Jacques Soustelle, the Sahara oil development has been pushed so intensively that Soustelle claims in five or six years France will supply her own oil needs, thereby saving several hundred million dollars annually in foreign exchange.

In foreign policy De Gaulle has teamed up with Chancellor Adenauer to assert a strong position for a Europe of sovereign powers united although not integrated. The French are saying that the agreement of the Western foreign ministers to present an all-or-nothing negotiating package, as it is represented by the French, means a triumph for the De Gaulle line and rebuff to the British.

There can be no doubt that France is stronger although it is also true that the military cards in the French hand are weak indeed, with virtually all of France's forces pinned down in Algeria. But this strength is provisional. If within six months to a year the rebels have been so reduced that French troops can be returned in some numbers and if De Gaulle lives out the full seven years of his term so he can carry out further reforms, then what is still a potential can become an actuality.

But if he should go then, as almost every Frenchman says with a shudder, the result would be disaster. At the age of 69 he drives himself hard. On speaking tours throughout the provinces to explain his domestic policies, which have not won him popularity, he hand-shakes and baby-kisses like a congressman running for office.

The disquieting rumors about his health are firmly and officially denied. It may be that his strong sense of personal destiny (both among his followers and his critics are those who believe he sees himself as the ultimate peacemaker in an heroic personal confrontation with Khrushchev) will carry him over all obstacles, including the infirmities of age and the inexorable demands of power in a time of troubles. That is the faith of a great many Frenchmen who see nothing else on which to pin their hopes.

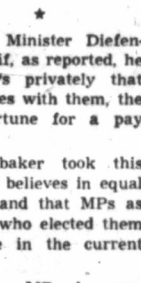
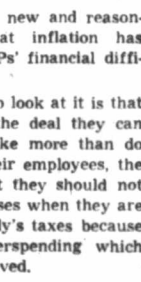
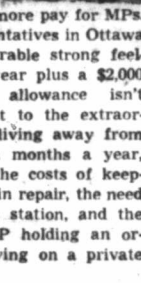
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—TENNISON



One of the local yachting prints accepted in the world's only marine exhibition of photography at Newport News, Virginia, was this study of the start of the RCNSA Regatta depicting yachts of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club and the RCN Sailing Association. Photograph is by James A. McVie, FPSA.





## Letters to the Editor

### Impatient Drivers

Recently Stirling Moss, one of the world's leading racing drivers, took the driving test of the British Institute of Advanced Motorists.

One of Mr. Moss' comments is of particular interest to British Columbia at this time. "They will fault you," he says, "for being a hindrance as well as for speeding. If you are in the middle of the road, for example, and doing only about 25 miles an hour, they will tell you you should move over or get a move on."

A sensible and just attitude, very different from the one taken by our minister of highways, who seems to think no one should be on the roads unless they are prepared to drive at top speeds.

Centre-line slow driving is of course to be condemned, but Mr. Gagliardi's own statement shows the dangerous element is not slower speeds but the impatient driver who "nibbles his fingernails, then tries to bolt and sometimes doesn't get away with it."

As for the report that there are more accidents at less than 40 miles an hour than at 65, that is understandable since most of the mileage run up by all motorists would of necessity be at the lower speeds. However, dependable surveys have repeatedly shown that high speed is the chief contributing factor in a majority of the serious accidents and no one will ever convince intelligent citizens that it is safer to hurtle a heavy machine along public highways at 60 or 65 miles an hour than at the lesser speeds.

A. F. DAVIES.

R.R. 5, Victoria.

### Friendly Bobbies

My sister and I have just returned from England. We heard about the talk of the police wearing "bobby hats" and we think it is a jolly good idea. The bobbies in England are so friendly and kind to us old folks in England and I think they should be like that here, too. When we were in London we got to know the bobbies and it was a pleasure to talk to them and know they cared for us.

No, we do not think that the police would make fools of themselves if they didn't act like utter fools. We think together that this would attract a lot of tourists to Victoria. If they would act friendly like the bobbies in England and did not go about the streets looking mournful people would like them more.

My sister and I have been in town many times and they have hardly noticed us when we spoke. But I suppose that's what they think their job is, keeping order.

(Mrs.) AGATHA WOLLENDING.

(Mrs.) CAROLINE HARLINGTON.

Uplands Road.

I am staying with my sister in Victoria for three months, and I would like very much to see bobby hats incorporated into the police force here before I go home to Australia. The last time I saw bobby hats was when I was a small girl in London. They would most certainly be a great tourist attraction.

(Mrs.) MAY HOPKINS.

143 Lanby Road, Melbourne, Australia.

### Leasehold Policy

Many economists have proposed that the full rental value of land should be taken to defray public expenditures. Some of the advantages of having the municipalities retain title to all properties and then to lease them for a term of years to prospective builders, rentals would be lower, and the cost of re-entry for properties required for public use would be much less.

When it is considered that the city owned some 4,000 reverted properties at one time, if these had been leased instead of being sold many civic improvements now deemed desirable could be carried out at a reasonable cost.

LENN A. GALE.

1037 Craigdarroch Road.

### Agents Didn't Know

## Ships Go to Duluth Instead of Lakehead

PORT ARTHUR, Ont. (CP)—Five ocean ships carrying steel bound for western Canada have unloaded at Duluth, Minn., instead of the Lakehead, L. C. Irwin, a member of the Lakehead Harbors Commission, said Wednesday.

He said the cargoes had gone to Duluth because shipping agents did not know the extent of facilities at the ports of Port Arthur and Fort William.

Mr. Irwin was commenting on Transport Minister Hees' statement in the Commons Tuesday that he did not know the reason for delays in readying Lakehead facilities for deep-sea shipping. Mr. Hees said he did not know why the recently-formed Lakehead Harbor Commission was not "getting on with the job."

Mr. Irwin said the five-member commission's formation had been delayed, but it will be fully completed by mid-May.

Because of the illness of one of its members and the fact that some members had been away on holidays, it had been impossible to get all five together to elect a chairman and secretary.

Mr. Irwin said delays in handling ocean-going freighters in the Lakehead ports had stemmed largely from the size of the vessels.

"I think perhaps that many elevator operators were not

prepared for the deeper draft ships which have been coming here," he said.

### Lake Pilotage Sparks Fight

OTTAWA (UPI)—Former Liberal transport minister Lionel Chevrier Wednesday indicated Canada is in for trouble in its negotiations with the U.S. on the question of pilot laws for Great Lakes ships.

Mr. Chevrier asked Transport Minister Hees for a report on Washington talks aimed at ironing out differences in the Great Lakes pilotage wrangle.

Mr. Hees called the talks "very satisfactory."

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### Prisoners for Two Hours

Peeping from their "cell" are Sam Burnett and John Conley, guards at the Knoxville, Tenn., county jail, who were locked in yesterday by Ray Caughorn in his seventh prison break of a crime-filled 17 years. Caughorn took the key but a locksmith freed the guards two hours later.—(AP Photofax.)

## Canal's Ship Jam Keeps on Growing

PORT WELLER, Ont. (CP)—The Welland Canal's biggest traffic jam in memory continued to grow Wednesday despite official assurances that that shipping bottleneck can be cleared by today.

A fleet of 41 ships stretched across miles of Lake Ontario shoreline late Wednesday waiting to enter the single lock which admits vessels to the 27-mile waterway bypassing Niagara Fall to link Lake Ontario and Lake Erie.

At dawn Wednesday there were 36 ships off this port and new arrivals outnumbered the vessels being moved by the first lock.

About half the waiting vessels are deep-sea freighters of foreign registry which entered the lake through the new St. Lawrence Seaway. The rest are lake ships of the regular Great Lakes fleet.

J. T. Ryan, engineer of the Seaway's western district, said he hoped conditions on the eight-lock canal would be back to normal sometime today. He said reports from Montreal indicate the influx of ships through the seaway has slowed.

Earlier it was reported that some foreign ships new to the canal were moving slower than normal traffic because of inexperience.

Meanwhile a new bottleneck for lake shipping has been reported from the Detroit River between Lake Erie and Lake St. Clair. Vessels are bunching on the channel and the situation isn't expected to clear before the weekend.

### Popularity Too High

OTTAWA (UPI)—Transport Minister Hees said yesterday the jam of vessels at the entrance of the Welland Canal was due to the "over-popularity" of the newly-opened St. Lawrence Seaway.

He told the House of Commons that high winds and skippers rusty after being off the Great Lakes all winter have caused some of the "unconnected" incidents snarling traffic.

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## Two Vanish in Gaping Hole

# Earth Swallows Horses

### Boy Saved In Farm 'Nightmare'

BADDECK, N.S. (CP)—Two horses were swallowed Wednesday in a gaping hole that appeared suddenly in a farm field 10 miles from this Cape Breton community.

A 12-year-old boy was almost dragged in behind the heavy work animals.

Hugh Murphy was pushing a plow behind the animals when one horse began sinking in the earth.

### PUSHED TO SAFETY

The boy jumped off the machine and tried to unhitch the horse. As the second one began to be sucked downward, 63-year-old Martin Murphy pushed his son to safety.

"I didn't know whether I was having a nightmare... when I saw the first horse disappear," Mr. Murphy told reporters.

### POSSIBLE CAUSE

RCMP, who roped off the area, said the cave-in might have resulted from a plaster deposit agitated by thawing frost below the surface. Professor W. J. Archibald, head of Dalhousie University's science department, said cave-ins often occur where there are lime

stone or plaster deposits. The earth was eroded by a prolonged flow of water.

Mr. Murphy said that with a lantern he could see one horse moving in the hole. He estimated it to be 30 or 40 feet from the ground level. There was no sign of the other animal.

An RCMP spokesman said the area will be dynamited today to fill in the hole. No mining operations are carried on in the area.

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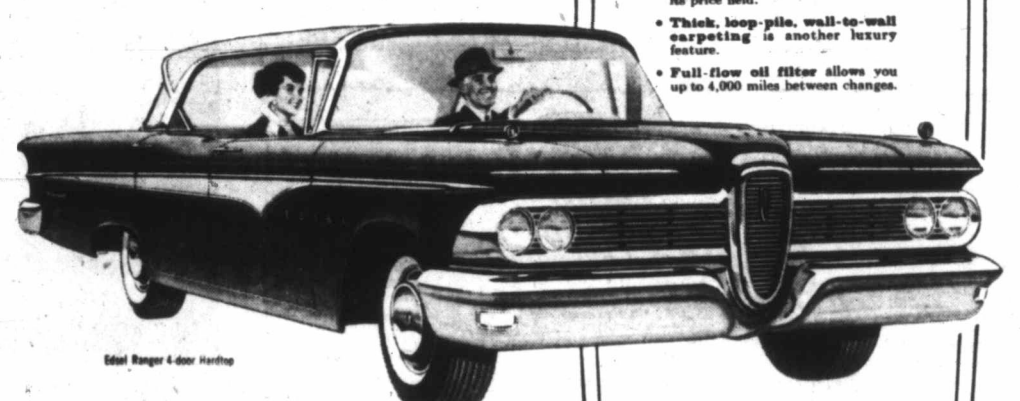
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## Churchill at List In Ike's Golf Cart

GETTYSBURG, Pa. (AP)—Sir Winston Churchill toured President Eisenhower's farm Wednesday in an electric golf cart chauffeured by the president.

Then they switched to a helicopter for an aerial inspection of part of the Civil War Gettysburg battlefield.

On the farm tour, the baby-blue golf cart listed slightly to starboard under the 84-year-old Churchill's weight as he and Eisenhower rode in the hot sunshine.

The two travelled to the farm from Washington in a helicopter, staying about 90 minutes.

They returned by helicopter to Washington, where Churchill was Eisenhower's guest, at a White House stag dinner.

At the dinner, he called for a "fresh and further effort" to build Anglo-American unity in dealing with difficult world problems.

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### Academy's Queen

Queen of St. Ann's Academy carnival this year is Myra Hall, 14, of 973 Runnymede Place, a Grade 8 student at the well-known Roman Catholic School. She was crowned yesterday by Grade 8 teacher Mrs. Sylvia Gledhill. Candidates for carnival queen role were entered from Grades 4 to 8. — (Colonist photo.)

### Pentiction Cuts Tax

PENTICTON (CP) — General taxes were cut by four mills here this year despite an increase of more than \$1,000,000 in over-all city expenditures to a record \$3,440,176.

## Conference on Tax-Sharing 'Pale Imitation'—Pickersgill

OTTAWA (CP) — The federal-provincial meeting on tax-sharing set for July 6, announced yesterday by Finance Minister Fleming, is just a "pale imitation conference of bureaucrats," Liberal J. W. Pickersgill said Wednesday.

### WILL CO-OPERATE

In Kelowna, Premier Bennett said he is looking forward to the conference and will co-operate "to the fullest extent" in making it a success.

### 'STRONG CASE'

In Winnipeg, Premier Duff Roblin said: "We have a strong case prepared for the province of Manitoba and I am delighted to have a chance to present it—if I'm elected." Mr. Roblin faces a provincial general election May 14.

### 'RATIONAL APPROACH'

In Toronto, Premier Leslie Frost said he welcomed the announcement of a federal-provincial fiscal conference.

"The work of this conference will be of the highest importance," he said. He added, "This is a rational approach to dealing in a comprehensive way with Canadian problems."

### WELCOMED

In Regina, Education Minister W. S. Lloyd, acting premier, said Saskatchewan welcomes the proposal for a Do-

minion-provincial conference. Mr. Lloyd said Saskatchewan has been pressing for a re-convening of the conference, adjourned more than a year ago.

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## What's in a Name? Will's Town Knows

STRATFORD-ON-AVON, England (UPI) — The council of this William Shakespeare shrine city decided last night to change the word "lavatories" on tourist directional signs to "conveniences."

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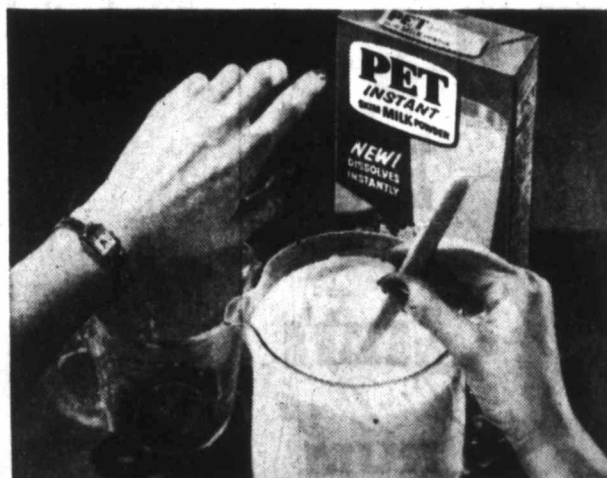
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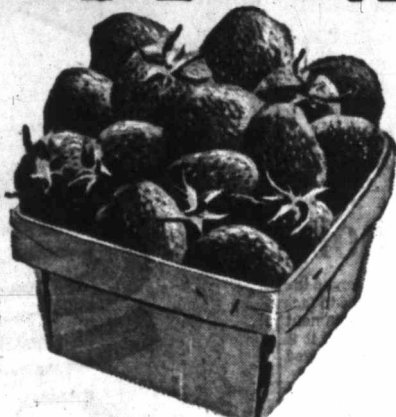
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## U.K. Gets Long End Of Trade with U.S.

LONDON (CP) — For the first time since 1865, British exports to the United States exceeded imports in March. Ever since that year—when Lee surrendered to Grant ending the American Civil War and President Lincoln was assassinated—the balance of

British-American trade has been in favor of the United States. But an announcement Tuesday night by the official British board of trade reversed this pattern. Its figures showed Britain sold the U.S. goods valued at £28,164,901 (\$78,861,722) in

March. In return Britain bought only £24,547,683 (\$68,733,514) worth. This one-month trade surplus wiped out the deficit of January and February and put Britain ahead \$7,527,492 at the end of the first quarter of this year's British-American trade.

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## Seek Seat in Saanich, Businessmen Urged

Coun. Charles Nelles, who has submitted his resignation from Saanich council, last night appealed to businessmen to contest the forthcoming byelection. "Saanich needs business people to look after their own

balliwick," he said. "I have found it most interesting and I am sure other businessmen would find it the same. I strongly recommend it as an absorbing thing."

Likely date of the byelection is June 20, when Saanich council plans to submit a new sewerage scheme to ratepayers. A definite date will be set by Saanich council May 19. Reeve Chatterton said he regrets Coun. Nelles' resignation, "because I will miss his viewpoint. It was somewhat different from that of the rest of the councillors but he represented the viewpoint of a large number of people."

## British Industry Sounds Warning

LONDON (UPI) — British businessmen have closed ranks against alleged Labor Party plans to nationalize 520 large firms, including the British Ford Motor Co., F. W. Woolworth Co., Rolls-Royce, Esso Petroleum, Goodyear Tire and Rubber, Ericsson Telephones and Tetley Tea. The Institute of Directors and National Union of Manufacturers sent letters of warning to their 76,000 members.

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# Shoe Back on Sword Dancer

Willie Shoemaker will ride Sword Dancer, place horse in the Kentucky Derby, in both the Preakness and Belmont Stakes.

The announcement was made yesterday by trainer Elliott Burch and ended a three-way fight between Shoemaker, Bill Boland and Willie Hartack to get Sword Dancer.

Shoemaker picked Tony Lee over Sword Dancer as his mount for the Kentucky Derby, won it in a photo finish from Boland and Willie Hartack. However, Tony Lee will not compete in the Preakness—May 16—and Shoemaker announced his willingness to ride Sword Dancer.

## Tanforan Racing

First Race—\$2,000, claiming, three-year-olds, six furlongs: Drifting Sea (Yaka) 4.00 4.20 Hi-Pop (Shaw) 4.70 4.80 Little Moses (Domineque) 5.70 5.80 Also—Village Belle Tex. Miss Tavi, Jora, Flying Mount, Yodoo Girl, Steel, splash, Perdon, Clara Lea — Time 1:11 4-5.

Second Race—\$2,000, claiming, three-year-olds, six furlongs: Low Call (Volke) 5.40 5.60 Brown Blue (Yaka) 10.80 1.00 Siglinda (Scharnow) 4.00 Also—Squash Blossom, War Captain, Nu Victory, Sure Pleasure, Mr. Dan A. Wham Bang—Time 1:11 3-5. Daily double paid \$22.30.

Third Race—\$2,000, claiming, five-year-olds, five furlongs: Kinky Taken (Domineque) \$18.00 \$7.80 \$5.30 Devil Hawk (Volke) 41.90 19.70 Whatnatter (Cunnington) 6.20 Also—Junior's Comet, Kismet, Flashing Command, Silverde, General Lator, Nickle L., Hasty Abbey, Bartlesville, Navy Fire—Time 1:00 1-5.

Fourth Race—\$2,000, claiming, three-year-olds, six furlongs: Red's Brother (Powell) \$13.10 \$4.90 \$4.00 Gaudalajara (Moceno) 4.80 3.80 Paxton (Green) 5.10 Also—Violet Ray, Sea Abbey, Clay Hawk, Hasty-Bay, Holly G., Your Treat—Time 1:12.

Fifth Race—\$2,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs: Whinner (Shirola) \$17.40 \$8.80 \$5.80 Flying Diamond (Volke) 12.80 6.50 Miss Twenty (Glen) 4.00 Also—Santa Fe Miss, Stripper, Money Maker, On Schedule, Amalgamation, Plagg's Melody, Stewate, Cavaltown —Time 1:11 3-5.

Sixth Race—\$2,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles: Search Warrant (Powell) \$6.30 \$2.90 \$2.30 Havit Your Way (Yaka) 2.60 2.40 Color Band (Shirola) 12.80 6.50 Also—Go and Call, Lock Out 2nd, Doctor E. D.—Time 1:44 1-5.

Seventh Race—\$2,300, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs: Handy Man (Volke) \$28.10 \$5.80 \$5.00 Hap's Image (Yaka) 4.40 3.80 All Vain (Cunnington) 4.00 Also—Pop Appeal, Blue Sunset, Wise Jay, Old Hurray, Moneto, First Peter —Time 1:10 4-5.

Eighth Race—\$2,000, claiming, four-year-olds and up, one mile: Imperial Oak (Balaski) \$6.50 \$4.10 \$3.40 Pine-O-Tee (Zollinger) 16.40 8.50 Entrusted (Green) 6.10 Also—Eddie Reed, Regal Lark, Barvis, Pascovich, Kace, Valdeictorian, Gallant Count—Time 1:39 3-5.

## Selections

1—Spring Edition, El Verano, Let's Argue.  
2—Trapmaster, King's Discovery, Old Follow.  
3—Cree Brave, Irish Bands, Superb Idea.  
4—Mr. Bazooka, Nighy ou, Tony Transit.  
5—Miss Cliffwood, Belmond, Miss Val-solier.  
6—John T. Island Turf, Jimmy Y.  
7—Moby Dick, Green Top, Blue Rajah.  
8—Old Rowdy, Sunday Gulch, Black Bandit.

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WILLIE SHOEMAKER  
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## Blind Bowlers Play For Dominion Honors

VANCOUVER (CP) — The first national singles fivepin bowling tournament for the blind will be staged in Vancouver May 21, the Canadian National Institute for the Blind announced Tuesday.

Harold Mitchell of Hamilton, Ont., a CNIB industrial cafeteria manager, and Joe Pepper of Vancouver will meet in the east-west competition this year.

Next year, Toronto will be host to the national championship play and the competition will alternate between east and west thereafter.

Vancouver was chosen as the site for the first face-to-face national guide-rail tournament for blind bowlers because it is the birthplace of organized blind bowling in Canada.

A joint statement from the CNIB and Trans-Canada Air Lines said TCA will provide a national singles trophy and transportation annually.

Canada has more than 2,500 bowlers among the 24,000 blind persons in the country. They participate in local leagues from coast to coast but have never had a face-to-face national competition.

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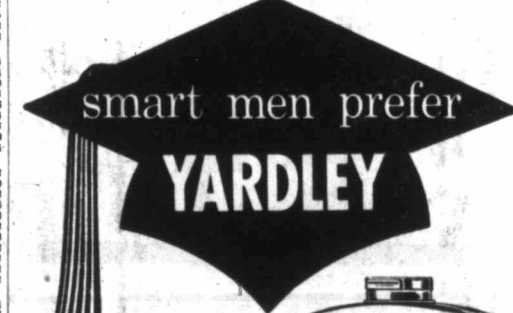
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Sale included the 35,000-acre ranch, 2,200 head of cattle and 1,200 breeding ewes. Price was not disclosed.

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# Victoria Reps Down Beavers

Husky Don Burgess provided the kicking strength at MacDonald Park Wednesday night as Victoria Reps held off a second-half rally to upset the touring Eastern Canada Beavers, 8-6, in an exhibition rugby match.

Beavers, ridden with injuries, barely managed to field a team. Nevertheless, they put up a valiant stand against the better-conditioned Victoria club.

Victoria led, 5-3, at the half when Burgess converted a try by Peter Clarke. Clarke, one of the local standouts, scored after 30 minutes.

## GAETER BOOTS TWO

Eastern Canada had taken a 3-0 lead 10 minutes earlier when Dick Gaeter booted a 40-yard penalty kick.

Gaeter, easily the best man on the field, accounted for Beavers' other three points with four minutes remaining in the game. Once again it was a penalty kick, this time from 25 yards.

Victoria's winning points came on a spectacular try by Walter Tait, who ran all the way from his own 45-yard line after taking a neat handoff from Leroy Bond. Tait had started the play by passing to Bond.

Tait's try came with only six minutes remaining and broke up a tight defensive battle that had existed from the opening half.

Burgess, whose booming kicks set up Victoria scoring

chances time and time again, missed the convert. Another standout for Reps was Charlie Bishop, who made several long runs. Also impressive was Tommie McIlveen.

Eastern Canada standouts along with Gaeter were Ed Robinson and John Allen.

Eastern Canada will play one more game in B.C., at Vancouver this weekend, before returning home.

Eastern Canada—Dick Gaeter: Norman Lee, Dan Connolly, Ed Robinson, John Allen, Ken Tait, Alvin White, Graham Sander, Ken Ross, P. Hughes, Jim Adams, Harry Archer, R. Browne, Geoffrey Denison, John Allin.

Victoria—Don Burgess, Bob Abbott, Leroy Bond, Jack Patrick, Tommy McIlveen, Ross Irvine, Lynn Pittman, Ian Wood, Chris Pollard, Olliver Briggs, Mel Davison, Paul Beck, Peter Clarke.



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## Speaking Briefly

# Joey Back in Middleweight Picture; Robinson Given \$500,000 Guarantee

Joey Giardello, his face covered with blood from a cut eye and gashed cheek, thrust himself into the muddled middleweight boxing picture last night by rallying for a 10-round split decision over Holly Mims in their nationally televised bout in Washington.

Meanwhile, Sugar Ray Robinson, stripped of his middleweight crown by the National Boxing Association, was offered \$500,000—second largest guarantee to a fighter in ring history — by Madison Square Garden to defend his title

against Carmen Basilio in New York, where he is still recognized as champion.

In typical Robinson fashion, Sugar acted coy and termed the offer "good" but refused to "go anything." Instead, he reported that he is considering fighting in Europe.

Only the \$325,000 guaranteed Gene Tunney for a 1928 defence against Tom Heeney tops the Madison Square Garden offer.

Giardello, a 21 underdog, needed a victory last night to retain any hope of getting in on the title picture when it finally clears up. He got it, but had to overcome an eighth-round beating to do it.

Referee Eddie La Font scored it 91-88 and one judge had it 95-92 for Giardello. The other judge saw it 95-94 in favor of Mims, who had Giardello in trouble three times.

TED WILLIAMS, sidelined by a stiff neck caused by a pinched nerve in his shoulder, says he hopes to be in the lineup with Boston Red Sox for the first time this season when they play Chicago White Sox next Tuesday in Boston.

Infielder Ray Boone, who threatened to quit baseball when Kansas City Athletics got him from Chicago, has changed his mind and decided to report after all.

Cleveland Indians have traded third baseman Randy Jackson to Chicago Cubs for Riverboat Smith, a lefthander who will be sent to San Diego of the Pacific Coast Baseball League.

Spokane Indians, who suspended Dick Hanlon, their top pitcher last year, when they couldn't come to terms, gave up on him yesterday and traded him to Seattle Rainiers for righthander Chuck Churn. Hanlon was 12-9 last year, Churn 9-11.

Onto Argonauts have signed halfback Merton Fuquay, a speedster who was a track star at Baylor University.

BOSTON BRUINS trimmed New York Rangers, 6-3, in Antwerp last night, but the touring National Hockey League teams continued to get a cold reception from fans on their European tour.

Only 500 watched last night's game. Winnipeg has been chosen as the Canadian city to bid for the 1963 Pan-American Games, getting the nod over Montreal from the Canadian Pan-American Committee.

Cost of staging the games there has been estimated at \$2,600,000.

Import tackle Reed Henderson and Roger Nelson have signed their 1959 contracts with Edmonton Eskimos of the Western Interprovincial Football Union.

Hershey Bears, Calder Cup champions, and the first-place Buffalo Bisons earned approximately \$2,000 per man in the most lucrative playoff pool in the American Hockey League in many years.

It was announced Wednesday. Pool totaled \$88.

England Held, 2-2 LONDON (Reuters)—England was held to a 2-2 tie by a young, inexperienced, Italian soccer team Wednesday before a crowd of more than 90,000 in warm, sunny weather.

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# First Stock-Car Race Rescheduled Saturday

After one false start, Vancouver Island's car racing enthusiasts are ready to open the throttle on another season Saturday.

Gates to Western Speedway in Langford were originally due to open last weekend, but the opening was delayed one week because of the uncertainty of the weather.

Four heat races, a trophy dash, main event and time

trials, starting at 7.30 will round out the first stock car meeting of the season.

There will be a new look about the new season. The Vancouver Island Track Racing Association, hoping to emphasize driving ability rather than motor power, has adopted a regulation calling for cars to operate with "unlocked rear ends."

The move, approved unanimously but on a trial basis only, also creates one class of cars. Last year, stock cars and jalopies operated in different categories.

Locked rear ends, used by all stock cars last year, afford a driver greater control of his machine going into and coming out of turns. The unlocked rear end shifts all the responsibility from the machine to the driver.

Approximately 45 Island-based cars will be available to take part in meets both at Western Speedway and in Nanaimo.

## DIGGER MISSING

One familiar face will be missing when stock car drivers line up for introductions this season with popular veteran Digger O'Dell announcing his retirement from racing. O'Dell leaves the scene with a record at the Langford track that is expected to stand for a long time. That was the stir he created two years ago when he won nine straight trophy dashes.

Bolstered by the addition of promising novices, most of whom raced in jalopies for the

first time last season, the driving corps this year includes such veterans as Dave Cooper, Dick Willoughby, Al Smith, Dick Varley, Bob Mawle, Bill Temple, Hank Neilson, Red Burke, Harry Roberts and Ray Pottinger.

Cooper won the Island drivers' point championship last year, finishing ahead of Varley, O'Dell and Smith, in that order.

Nanaimo's Bob Clarke and Dave McLelland of Victoria top the "new crop."

## "BIG" CARS NEXT

The stockers move onto the track first, but the Indianapolis-styled "big cars" won't be far behind. The sprint cars' first meet of the year is scheduled for Saturday, May 16, marking the first half of a holiday twin-bill. The stock cars will be back in action Victoria Day, May 18, for an afternoon meet.

## Okanagan Estate Details Sought

CAWSTON, B.C. (CP)—The Okanagan-Boundary Associated Boards of Trade have asked for a government report on the Flintry Estates land development project.

The group wants information on the promotion so it can answer inquiries from prospective buyers.

The development, between Kelowna and Vernon, involves sale of lots from the estate of the late Laird of Flintry.

# Hill's One-Hitter Wins for Tuglets

Doug Hill pitched Tuglets to their first victory of the American Little League schedule last night, tossing a one-hitter and striking out eight in posting a 6-0 shutout over Automotives.

Catcher Wayne Forland got the only hit, a fifth-inning double.

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## Protect Mariners

VANCOUVER (CP)—A traffic-control plan which would help to eliminate collisions among approaching vessels has been adopted for Vancouver's busy harbor.

Nine sea lanes have been created which deep-sea and tugboat operators have agreed to use during the fishing season.

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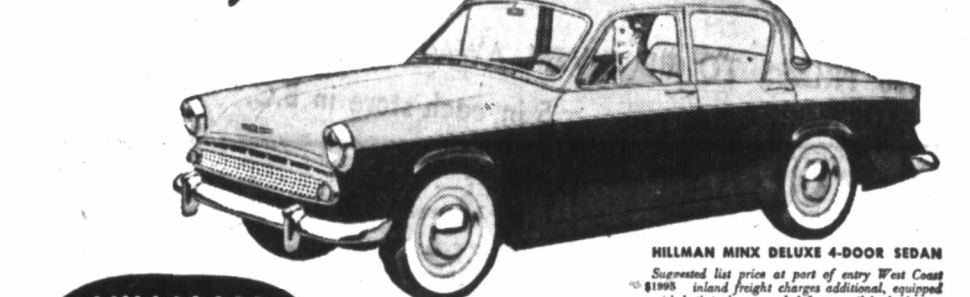
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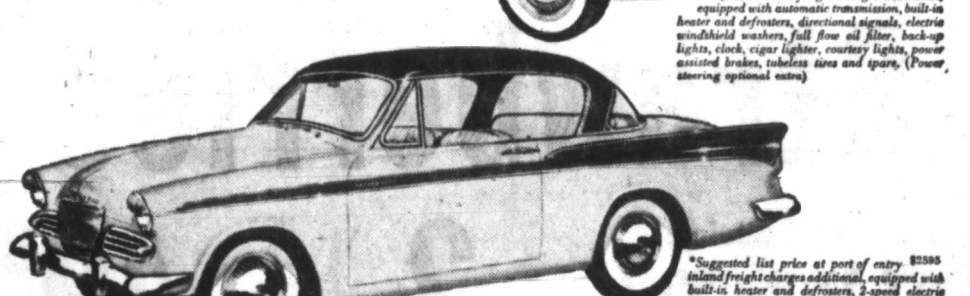
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<b>All-Purpose Flour</b>	Kitchen Craft, for all your baking, 10-lb. bag	69 <sup>c</sup>
<b>Margarine</b>	Coldbrook—Economical spread— Two 2-lb. packages	4 lbs. 89 <sup>c</sup>
<b>Tomato Juice</b>	Town House, Fancy, 48-oz. tin	2 for 49 <sup>c</sup>
<b>Safeway Coffee</b>	Ready Ground, Regular or Fine—1-lb. package. Buy one pound at regular price and a second pound for only 46 <sup>c</sup>	2 lbs. 1 <sup>19</sup>
<b>Green Peas</b>	Gardenside, Standard, 15-oz. tin	4 for 49 <sup>c</sup>
<b>Cream Corn</b>	Town House, Fancy Quality, 15-oz. tin	4 for 53 <sup>c</sup>
<b>Strawberry Jam</b>	Argood, 48 fl. oz. tin	89 <sup>c</sup>
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# Duncan Re-Trial Set In Assault on RCMP

DUNCAN—A man sentenced to serve three years in the B.C. Penitentiary a year ago at Chemainus after a Saturday night fracas that sent two RCMP constables to hospital has won an appeal for a retrial.

It has been set for May 20 at Duncan for Richard H. Douglas, said crown prosecutor Thomas Lines yesterday.

The appeal was granted and a new trial ordered by the attorney-general's department because of the death of court stenographer Herbert Malsey of Nanaimo, who failed to make a transcript of the evidence he took down in short-hand.

Douglas was one of four men charged after a street fight April 13, 1958, when police alleged a baseball bat was used on RCMP constables William Bloxham and William Adams.

## BACK INJURIES

Const. Bloxham received severe back injuries.

Fight started when the policemen attempted to arrest Donald. Sherwood, of Chemainus, who later pleaded guilty to a charge of obstructing a police officer.

Sherwood was sentenced to a year in jail. The crown appealed the sentence and won an increase to two years.

The other two, Roger Lampitt of Nanaimo, and R. C. Brooks of Chemainus pleaded not guilty to charges of obstructing a police officer but were found guilty and sentenced to three years and one year respectively last May 30.



Pet donkey, Midge, and baby daughter, yet unnamed, are big attraction at James H. Taylor home, Duncan, where Midge is favorite pet of the children. Joey Taylor, 5, is young man almost hidden behind pet's big ears.—(Flett photo.)

## Where Midge Had Her Baby Well-Kept Donkey Secret

DUNCAN—Midge, the four-year-old Texas donkey, a local "celebrity," gave birth to what is believed to be Vancouver Island's first 1959 baby donkey and tried to keep the fact to herself.

Last week she went off into the bush on the property of her owner, James H. Taylor, after they and their five children "gave up hope that she was even going to have a baby."

The next time Midge appeared she was with her "as yet unnamed" daughter.

"We don't know if she was born on Wednesday or Thursday," said Mrs. Taylor. "It was a surprise to us. We had really given up hope."

The family had thought the baby was to be born in January.

The Taylors have a piece of paper taped to a wall in their kitchen for suggested names for Midge's daughter. Listed so far are Chica (Spanish for girl), Chilca (Spanish for girl), Chicla (Spanish for little girl), Carmen, Penny, Zorro, Nickie, Lola, Cindy, Jenny and Pepita.

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## Trophies Proudly Shown

DUNCAN—Three trophies won last week by RCSCC "Admiral Mainguy" were set up in the barracks at Maple Bay yesterday.

They were won by 45 cadets last weekend at Victoria when they competed against sea cadet corps from Victoria, Nanaimo and Alberni.

Trophies were for the whaler race, tug of war and aggregate points. Only other trophy was won by RCSCC "Rainbow" Corps of Victoria for shooting.

## Campbell River Flower-Ripping Vandals Hunted

CAMPBELL RIVER—RCMP here are looking for vandals who tore up 700 daffodil and narcissus plants and a number of small trees on the newly-landscaped grounds of Campbell River General Hospital, yesterday morning.

Suspected are three teenage girls seen trying to hitch a ride near the hospital. They were seen by hospital employees arriving at work.

The flowers were strewn over the hospital grounds and parking area in an apparently senseless act of vandalism. The destruction was a blow to efforts of gardener Carl Ulig who has transformed the bare grounds of the hospital into a landscaped park in the past year. The hospital was just opened in September, 1957, and the grounds were just being brought into first class shape.

A glass panel in a door near the hospital administrator's office was also broken, but entrance was not made into the building.

## Cowichan Golfers Meet Navy Team in Victoria

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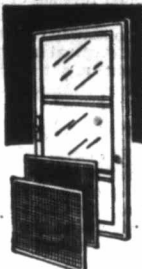
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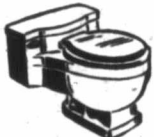
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## Liberals

# Race Wide Open

Liberal leader Arthur Laing expects a wide-open campaign for his position when Liberals meet in Vancouver May 15 and 16.

Mr. Laing said yesterday he definitely will not continue as leader no matter how strong the persuasion may be.

### STINT OVER

"I have done my stint," he told The Daily Colonist. "No one will listen nowadays, but things are ready to blow up within six months."

Oak Bay Liberal MLA Archie Gibbs said he is "still giving a lot of thought" to seeking the leadership.

### STRONG PLATFORM

Ray Perrault, executive secretary and organizer of the party who has been prominently mentioned as a leadership candidate, said he was giving more thought to organizing the convention and ensuring the Liberal party comes out with a strong platform.

Mr. Laing said he would not throw his support behind any one candidate.

## Two Nights, Two Crimes

Thieves apparently didn't find what they were looking for when they broke into the Duncan Household Removals and Storage Co., 522 Bastion, Monday.

They returned again Tuesday night and ransacked the entire building, police were told. The management doesn't know what the culprits were after, because nothing appeared to be missing.

Entry was gained both times by pulling boards off the rear wall of the building, from an alley on the north side.

## Freedoms 'Limited' —Adventists

EDMONTON (CP) — Religious freedom is limited in Canada by municipal laws which demand licensing of religious literature salesmen, the national convention of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church in Canada said yesterday.

The 400 delegates approved a resolution which said the licenses contravene basic guarantees of freedom of speech, press and religion and called on civil authorities to reconsider the licenses.

The convention voted to operate parochial schools in order to integrate religious training with education, and said religious training in public schools is, in effect, the strengthening of the state-church relationship and therefore is dangerous.

A proposal that every able-bodied Seventh-Day Adventist in Canada support civil defence was endorsed providing they aid only in consistency with church doctrine, which rules out bearing of arms or combat during a national emergency.

Delegates re-elected the entire executive, whose B.C. representative is A. G. Rodgers of Sidney.

## 'Sleuths' to Track Banfield Pollution

City public works department hopes to track down this summer the source of pollution of Selkirk Water at Banfield Park, city engineer James Garnett said.

The pollution, which has resulted in a ban on swimming at Banfield Park, is believed to be the result of sewage entering a surface drain.

Finding the source, Mr. Garnett said, is a long job and can only be done in the summer when the flow of surface water is light.

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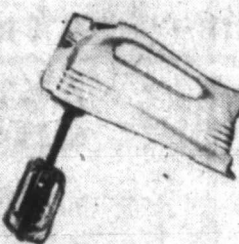


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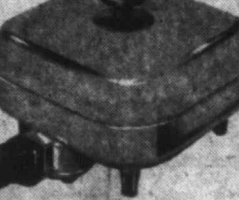
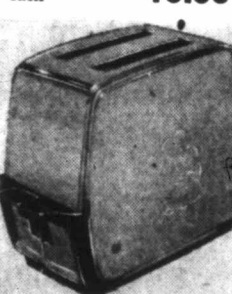


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### a. Tailored Cotton

Daintily shaded turquoise, blue and touch of pink and Luxe thread form this summertime plaid dress of Dan River cotton with short sleeves, self belt, and novelty collar. Sizes 12 to 20, 14½ to 24½. Each **8.99**

### b. Plaid Coat Dress

Light, crisp cotton in attractive mylar plaid has double collar, self belt. Choose pink, blue or maize. Sizes 12 to 20, 14½ to 24½. Each **8.99**

### c. Swirl of Skirt

This Marjorie Hamilton drip-dry cotton dress in gay floral, multi-colour print has elasticized waist for extra comfort and fit, short sleeves and wide, full skirt. Sizes small, medium and large. Each **6.99**

(Not illustrated) Woven nylon fabric dresses with shirtwaist top, short sleeves and self belt in muted print. Sizes 12 to 20 and 14½ to 24½. Each **6.99**



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### Pixie Toe Slippers

Dainty slippers Mother would love as a gift, have perky turned-up toes a-glimmer with gold-colour rings or flowers. Soft leather in red, black, pink, blue or white... they have soft chrome-tanned leather soles and cushion insoles. Elasticized tops for good fit. Sizes small, medium and large, collectively. **3.95**

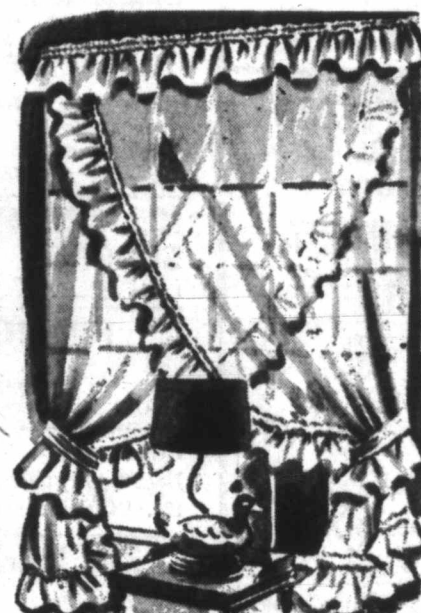
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To the most important of women... Mothers... go EATON'S compliments of the day. Family dinners, surprise gifts, and special wishes of happiness and love from children and grandchildren make this a very special day. To make this Mother's Day particularly happy, EATON'S suggests to family and friends the gifts sure to delight mothers of any age.



### An Aura of Fragrance

Emanating delicate and fresh fragrances are these dainty Elizabeth Arden toiletries she'd choose for herself. Blue Grass Flower Mist... 2.50  
Prettily wrapped in pink or blue with pastel ribbons. Each 2.50  
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### To House Her Jewels

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And Inside She'll Find Exquisite jewellery that will be her favourite. A starfish-shaped pin of gleaming fresh water pearls and iridescent pin. Each 3.00  
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### Today's Agenda

To keep appointments and engagements close at hand... a leatherette book patterned with gold-colour Fleur-de-Lis. With alphabetical telephone list and engagement pages for each week. In green, blue, pink or red. Each 2.25  
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The most attractive and appropriate cards for Mother's Day are in EATON'S Stationery Department. Choose from a wide and colourful selection. 5c to 2.00  
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### Jaunty Sacking

A dashing accent for mother's spring outfit is this smart, new handbag of Carmen Red hopsacking. With "side saddle" quick-change purses and handles in beige. Each 7.95  
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### Flower Timepiece

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## Tulips by the Million Fly East for Mother

Tulips by the million from the growing fields of Saanich peninsula are winging east to brighten Mother's Day, Sunday, in eastern and prairie homes.

Growers said last night an estimated 100,000 dozen tulips and as many as 30,000 dozen

narcissus will have been shipped by Trans-Canada Air Lines planes this week to eastern markets.

They described the color and quality of the showy blooms as particularly good this year.

Peak of the shipping was reached yesterday with today's volume almost as large.

All available cargo space on passenger planes is taken up with the flower shipments and one tulip special cargo plane yesterday carried 800 cartons—about 20,000 dozen flowers—destined for markets as far east as Halifax.

## 'Squeezed' Water Out of Him

# Boy Rescued, Revived By Young Playmates

## Seen in Passing

Sidney Custance taking pictures of the march past at the annual inspection of cadets at University School. (The 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. M. Custance has been attending University School for four years. He has three brothers and two sisters. Sidney's hobbies are collecting guns, water skiing and photography) . . . Ivan and Kay Shillington busy selling off goods at cost in order to convert their Quadra Street Grocery store into a laundromat . . . Mrs. Jean Gray and Mrs. Chris Henderson lunching on the beach at Dallas Road . . . Stan Mossop and Bill Passmore examining progress at the Gorge Park . . . Marg Naysmith taking a look too . . . David Sloan and Chet Harrington lunching together.



SIDNEY CUSTANCE

## Eighteen on Show

# Garden Tours Begin Today

Victoria will prove why it got the name "City of Gardens," during the next three days.

Eighteen Greater Victoria gardens are expected to be viewed by hundreds of area residents and tourists during the three-day Victoria Horticultural Society spring garden festival beginning at 1 p.m. today.

Bus tours will leave the C & C Taxi office, 906 Government, at 1 p.m. daily. Tours will last until 5:30 p.m.

Visitors using private transportation can obtain garden tickets at the C & C office or at homes on the tour.

Today's visits will include gardens of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Ahler, 1233 Palmer; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCubbin, 5050 Cordova Bay; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Watson, 5060 Cordova Bay; Mr. and Mrs. C. Dowman, 4021 Shelbourne; Mr. and Mrs. F. Anson, 1117, 2676 Queenswood; Mrs. M. L. Sayward-Wilson, 2670 Queenswood.

Gardens on display Friday will include those of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Edgell, 3230 Beach; Miss A. M. Woodroffe, 3150 Tarn Place; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert P. R. Brown, 3045 Beach; Mr. and Mrs. N. Akhaz, 1964 Fairfield; Mr. and Mrs. Theo Diminatz, 617 St. Charles.

Saturday's tours will include the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. N. Pavelic, Ardmore Drive; Mr. and Mrs. George Paulin, Chate Road; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Blair, All Bay Road; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hammill, 8337 Patricia Bay Highway.

Gardens of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McGill, 3441 Mayfair; Dr. Thomas McPherson, 956 Esquimalt; and Mrs. R. H. Pooley, 1182 614 Esquimalt.

## Big Cake For Smith

City hall staff gave John Ingram Smith a big birthday cake yesterday.

Forty-seven years a member of the staff Mr. Smith will retire at the end of the month. He entered the treasury department "as a kid," he said yesterday, and for many years has been cashier.

will be open from 1 to 5 p.m. daily.

Other gardens will be viewed on the specified days.

## Saanich To Plug Loophole

Saanich is taking immediate action to plug a loophole in several bylaws which would allow property owners to build any number of dwellings on a single lot.

Reeve George Chatterton said: "There are indications that someone is using this loophole to try and circumvent our bylaws."

Officials said later that under certain circumstances it would enable a developer to go ahead with a subdivision without consent.

## Wrist Watch Found

# Clues Denote Chase Over Yards, Fences

A lot of "strange things" have been happening around the North Park-Quadra Street area lately, Mrs. George Larrigan, of 1728 Quadra, said last night.

Earlier in the day, her neighbors found traces of a chase that had taken place across a number of backyards there, but police later told her they didn't know anything about it.

"Someone must have been chasing somebody," she said, because a man's wrist watch was found in a hedge beside her back garden, heel prints were found in the garden, and the glass was broken on a number of cold frames in a neighbor's garden.

She believed a man being chased had the watch wrenched from his wrist when he leaped from the Quadra Street sidewalk over the hedge and

A three-year-old Victoria West boy was saved from drowning yesterday by playmates who pulled him from Selkirk Water and administered artificial respiration. (See picture on Page 1.)

Terry Troughton, 620 Raynor, apparently followed some older boys to Banfield Park, and was picking barnacles from rocks on the shoreline when he slipped and fell headlong into water about five feet deep.

Jamie Ryan, 11, of 658 Pine, also playing in the park and nearest to the struggling child, pulled off his shirt and jumped in to save him, but the frightened child fought off the rescue attempt by flailing with his fists.

## JUMPED IN WATER

Jamie said he clambered up the shore line and removed his shoes, at which time he was joined by Edward Clutesi, 12, of 556 Raynor, and both boys jumped back in the water, grasped Terry and brought him to shore.

Jamie is the son of Colonist photographer Jim Ryan. Edward is the son of George Clutesi, well-known Indian artist.

## SPT UP WATER

"I put Terry down on his stomach, and then squeezed against his ribs, in and out," said Jamie. "He spit up some water." He said he learned artificial respiration while a member of Victoria West Cub Pack.

A neighbor carried Terry the block to his home, where his mother, Mrs. John Troughton, gave him a hot bath and some warm milk and popped him into bed.

## ALWAYS CHASING HIM

It was not the child's first escapade in a strange, big world, Mrs. Troughton said. "He's wandered off lots of times. Last year, I was always chasing after him."

She said she had spanked him on earlier occasions after which he never wandered beyond the end of the front sidewalk.

Yesterday, she had let Terry play with a small cousin at the end of the block, and she thought he must have followed some older boys over to Banfield Park.

A Victoria fire department inhalator crew which rushed to the scene was happy to find its work already successfully done.



## Depressed but Still Determined to Fight

Somewhat depressed, but still determined, are these six stall-operators in city market, under notice to quit premises May 31. Only 11 stalls are still in operation in building slated for replacement by city parking lot. All operators are united in intention to hold fast until

final day, and in criticism of city hall for letting market run down. Still hoping for new quarters are, from left, Mrs. F. C. Blake, Mrs. J. E. Grant, A. Randy, Sam Jones, John Peddle and Jim Johnston.—(Colonist photo by Jim Ryan.)

## Only Pink, Blue Admit to Fair

Jaycee president Ray Rawnley last night warned persons buying tickets on car raffles that only the pink and blue Jaycee raffle includes free admission to the exhibition.

"We've had people come to the door with tickets on another car raffle in the vicinity of the arena, believing the ticket also entitles them to admission. That is not so."

## Free Prizes at Fair

# Just Fill Out Form And Wait for Luck

Remembering the days of free samples at fairs, Mr. and Mrs. Victoria might think exhibitors are more commercial nowadays, but it just isn't so.

With a little bit of luck and a good, strong writing hand, Mr. and Mrs. Victoria can win some \$2,000 in free prizes from merchants at the Jaycee Fair in Memorial Arena; a further \$800 in discounts. And with a total outlay of just \$4 they can win a 15-day tour of Mexico for two; a brand new four-door sedan; a boat, in-board motor, trailer and canopy, and a \$25,000 package which includes a fully furnished house, lot and rough landscaping.

Plus: free maps, postcards, fruit and juice drinks, free advice, pamphlets, information, beauty hints, sewing lessons, hearing tests, solutions to knotty problems in two different encyclopedias, lessons on how to cut glass and sharpen knives, a display of new fashions and professional entertainment.

Here's a partial list of what is on offer for nothing more than the effort of filling in forms:

A sewing hassock, a four-pound fruit cake, three \$100 wardrobes for men, a world atlas, two one-week supplies of frozen food, a vibrating foot massage cushion, complete siding of a house in aluminum, a vibrating Reduca-Pad, a portable stereo record player, plastic tiling of five bathrooms, portable radios, a weekend in Seattle for two with \$25 spending money thrown in, a free vacuum cleaner, a trilight lamp and 300 gallons of furnace oil.

And, for anyone who falters on how to cut glass and sharpen knives, a display of new fashions and professional entertainment.

## Defence Costs Halved

Greater Victoria municipalities may have to share only 12½ per cent of civil defence costs instead of 25 per cent as the result of greater participation by the federal government, city comptroller Dennis Young said yesterday.

Mr. Young told city council that since Ottawa had announced its intention to pay 75 per cent of costs instead of 50 per cent, there was a "very good possibility" that the province and the municipalities would each pay 12½ per cent instead of 25 per cent.

## Council Cuts —Waits

City council cut its share of the budgets of three inter-municipal institutions yesterday and sat back to see what would happen.

It cut the budget of the public library by \$4,000, at an estimated saving of \$1,600 to the city since presumably the other municipalities will save the rest.

It cut its proposed \$10,000 contribution to the \$15,000 budget of the Victoria-Saanich beaches and parks committee to \$8,000. (Aldermen acknowledged that Saanich would naturally cut its contribution to \$4,000.)

And it cut its demanded contribution of \$8,948 to the Capital Region Planning Board down to last year's level, \$7,522.

"What will happen if we cut it?" asked Mayor Percy Scurrell.

"I think the board is in a position to require us by law to pay," said city comptroller Dennis Young.

Council voted to cut the contribution anyway.

## Tribute to the Queen

Inter-municipal friendship was cemented at one of the oldest May Day celebrations in British Columbia last night when Saanich Reeve George Chatterton happily "bussed" the blushing cheek of Esquimalt May Queen Margaret Francis, 13, of 1347 Sussex, at Esquimalt Memorial Park.—(Colonist photo.)

## Warm Spring Weather

# 1,000 Ring Maypole At Esquimalt Park

More than 1,000 spectators thronged around a maypole at Esquimalt Memorial Park last night as warm spring weather provided a sunny setting for the coronation of

pretty 13-year-old Margaret Francis as the community's Queen of the May.

Last year's May Queen, Gayle Wakeman, opened the program at the head of a procession which took the new queen and her colorfully-dressed pages and flower girls to the reviewing stand.

Queen Margaret was crowned by Mrs. James Allan, wife of Lt.-Col. James Allan, officer commanding the First Battalion, Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.

Following of the queen was followed by the traditional maypole dances by students of Lampson Street School.

A teen-age group from Western Square Dancers performed under the direction of Gerry Dunn and music was provided by the Esquimalt Schools' Band.

## Hubert Lethaby Dies Suddenly

A well-known Victoria businessman, Hubert Lethaby, died suddenly in Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday after a short illness.

Mr. Lethaby entered hospital two weeks ago for a general check-up.

Earlier this week he had expressed the hope to a business associate that he would be discharged on Friday.

Up to the time of his death he lived at 3229 Service.

He is survived by his widow, Christina, at home, and two step-daughters, Mrs. C. W. Stephens, Port Moody, B.C., and Mrs. John L. Plant, Toronto.

Funeral arrangements will be announced.

Mr. Lethaby was born in England and came to Victoria 41 years ago.

He was a charter member of the Real Estate Board of Victoria, and its secretary-treasurer from 1924 to 1952. He was still a member at the time of his death and operated an estate, financial and insurance business at 612 View Street.

He operated his own business for many years and was associated with Heisterman, Forman & Co. for 34 years.

He obtained his commission



HUBERT LETHABY

as a notary public in 1918 and as a vice-president and charter member of the Society of Notaries Public of B.C. represented that body in deliberations which led to the British Columbia Notaries Act.

He was a charter member of the Victoria Gyo Club, a past-president of the Capital City Building Society and Loan Association, the Victoria District Cricket Association, the Vancouver Island Philatelic Society and the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association.

## Saanich Plans to Sell Cloverdale Park Land

Saanich is going ahead with plans to sell one acre of municipally-owned property at Cloverdale and Oak which was earmarked for park use, but later judged unsuitable.

Reeve George Chatterton said he believes the possibility of delays in obtaining necessary clearance was a consideration in withdrawal of an offer to purchase the site for

Victoria Labor Council headquarters.

"This is valuable property," said the reeve. "Council should hold itself ready to put any future offer to purchase to a vote. But we must first put ourselves in a position where we can sell."

Permission must be obtained from the provincial government to rezone property set aside for park purposes.

## Youngsters' Fate Sealed With School Enrolment

Educational fate of hundreds of city youngsters will be sealed next week when parents visit Greater Victoria schools to enroll them in kindergarten and Grade 1 classes.

Registration of new pupils will be carried out at all

Greater Victoria elementary schools between 3 and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

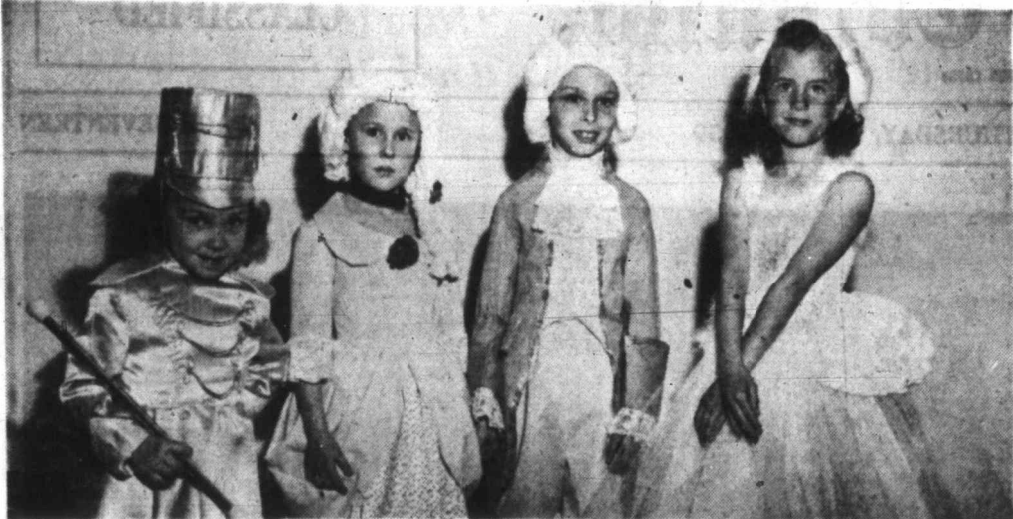
Children being enrolled for Grade 1 must be six years old by Dec. 31 and proof of age must be submitted.

Those who are attending kindergarten at the present

time need not be enrolled in Grade 1 during the period of general registration.

Children from the school district will be accepted for kindergarten enrolment under terms of a new policy, but preference will be given to the oldest. Youngsters must be five years old by Dec. 31.





### Young but Confident and Eager

Young members of the cast of the Spring Revue to be put on by Eileen's School of Dancing tonight at Oak Bay Junior High School are caught at the dress rehearsal. From the left: Kathy Cought, three, Lynne and Larry Middleton and Martha Morgan

all seven. Funds from the recital will go to the 1959 Conquer Cancer Campaign. Guest artists will be the Chinese Drill Team. Eileen will also present her own drill team, the "Bluebird Majorettes."



## Your Problems

By Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: When ever a page is missing from our newspaper I know my wife didn't want me to see something. Usually, it's your column. However, when you give the wives a boost (or the husbands a knock) she folds the paper with your column on the outside and puts it in my big chair.

Today a page was missing. I fooled her and went out and bought another paper. Sure enough it had the letter from the wife who was always "too tired" or "had too much work to do." I could have kissed you, Ann, when you told her "There's more to marriage than waxing the linoleum."

I "innocently" asked my wife if she'd seen your column that day. Her reply was "Yes, and Ann Landers is crazy. Sex is strictly for men. A woman of good up-bringing isn't interested in such things."

I know I'll never change my cold tomato so there's no use trying. But thanks for doing a great job. Maybe you can educate the younger ones. For THEM there may still be hope.—MOTOR CITY MALE

Dear Male: I received many letters from men expressing the same sentiments, but I got a rash of complaints from women who were boiling mad.

Most women who wrote made a valid point. They asked what they were supposed to do with the kids when hubby arrives at 4.45 p.m. "fit as a fiddle and ready for love." Obviously it makes sense for a husband to pitch in with the work, have an early supper and help get the kiddies off to bed.

Perhaps I leaned too far in trying to make the point that some women use housework, kids, the tired routine or a headache as "excuses." It will be worth all the blasts from outraged women if I can get

across the Big Idea that married love is a divine plan for mutual fulfillment, and not a scheme designed for lecherous males.

P.S. Strange coincidence of the week: The woman who wrote "I hate men and their damnable demands—" lives in Kissimmee, Florida.

Dear Ann: It's 4.15 a.m. and I'm baby-sitting. I'm so tired I'm almost sick. Tomorrow I have to school. I am 14.

Mom doesn't like me to stay out late on school nights but I need money for so many things she lets me. If the people get in by 5 a.m. I'll make \$2.25. They pay 25 cents an hour. I can sure use the money but it doesn't seem like much when you consider the hours I put in.

Some sitters fall asleep on the job and get rested up but I feel responsible for the kids so I stay awake. Something's wrong here and I don't know what. Can you help me.—BEAT.

Dear Beat: The hours are too long and the pay is too short. Double your rates. They're taking advantage of you.

You shouldn't sit later than 11 p.m. on school nights for any price. Weekends, 2 a.m. should be the limit. If people want to celebrate till dawn they should engage an adult to stay with their children, not a teenager.

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### Handicapped

The annual meeting of the League of the Handicapped drew handicapped people from all over Victoria and district as retiring president Walter A. Thomson handed over the gavel to incoming president Mr. D. Metcalfe. Returning officer was Mr. Walter Eaton. Vice-president is Miss Winnie Wilkins; secretary, Arthur Spears; treasurer, Miss A. Harrison and directors, Mrs. S. Taylor, Miss M. Birch, Mr. A. Tedder and Mr. F. Robinson.

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In those days, it's said, some of the greatest beauties were practically bald, but nobody ever knew about it but the maids who took care of their wigs.

Nowadays when you hear a girl say, "I must send out my wig to be laundered," it probably isn't a joke. She may be dead serious.

### Phone Pioneers

#### Include Islanders

Twenty-one persons from lower Vancouver Island will be among the 500 members and guests expected to attend the 19th annual meeting of B.C. Chapter 53, Telephone Pioneers of America, which will be held in Vancouver Saturday.

A total of more than 10,000 years' service in the telephone industry will be represented by those attending the meeting.

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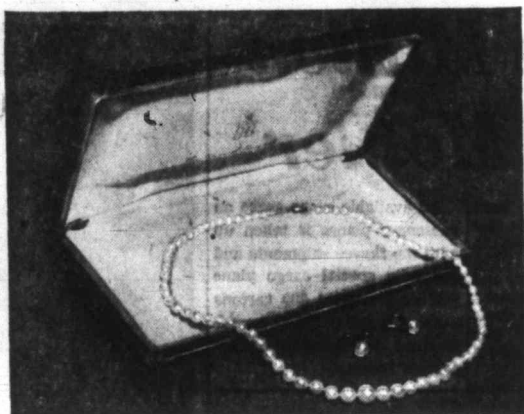
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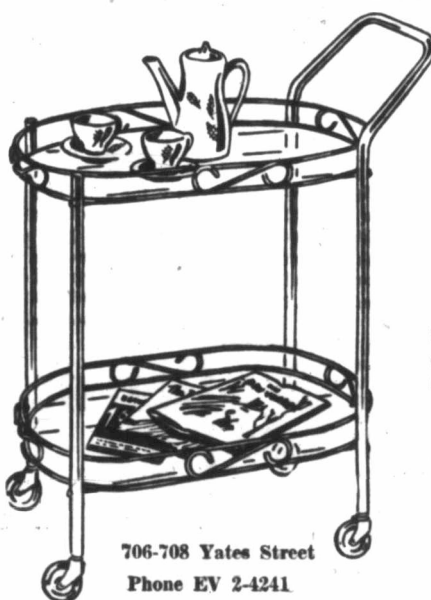
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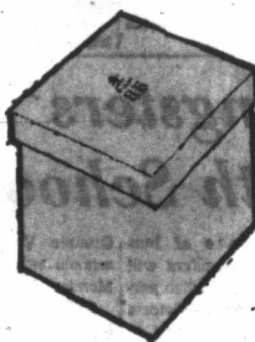
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## PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Jean Reading, RN, is leaving on Friday morning for an extended holiday in the British Isles. Her three-month trip will take her to Holland, France and Switzerland as well as Britain. While in England she will visit the many colleagues and friends she made during the war years. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Reading, 242 Obed Avenue.

### Birthday Luncheon Party

Mrs. Annie Middleton was guest-of-honor at a birthday luncheon party, held recently at the Princess Mary Restaurant, arranged by her four daughters. The occasion was her 86th birthday when covers were laid for 10 guests. A bowl of spring flowers centred the table and a decorated birthday cake was served.

### Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. M. Prior and Mrs. F. E. Easton were joint hostesses recently at a miscellaneous shower in honor of their niece Miss Linda Neill, whose marriage takes place May 16. It was held at the home of Mrs. Easton, Doncaster Drive. Upon her arrival Miss Neill was presented with a corsage of yellow roses while her mother, Mrs. V. R. Neill, Oyster River, received pink carnations. Mrs. W. G. Hill, bride's aunt, who was leaving on a trip abroad, also received flowers. Among the guests were Mrs. J. C. Williams, Mrs. M. Williams, Mrs. M. Lewis, Mrs. A. Pedneault, Mrs. J. Campbell, Mrs. A. Gardner, Mrs. T. Keobke, Mrs. T. Pitke, Mrs. M. G. Neill, Mrs. G. Neill, Mrs. T. Lewis, Miss Y. Pedneault, Miss K. Easton and Miss S. Bird.

### Friday Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Kai J. Ulrich, 2181 Haultain Street announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Benette Jill to Mr. Brian Cheer Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Cheer Roberts, 1697 Yale Street. The bride-elect is a graduate of the Royal Victoria School of Nursing, Montreal, and her groom is a graduate in law at UBC. The quiet ceremony will be performed by Canon George Biddle at St. John's Anglican Church at 7.30 p.m. on Friday.

### Ganges After-Five Party

GANGES—Honoring Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Thorburn who are leaving Salt Spring Island shortly to make their home in Victoria, an after-five party was given by their Vesuvius Bay friends recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Reid, Arbutus Court. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Britton, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Duke, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Empey, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Flewin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. G. Heinekey, Mr. and Mrs. R. Malcolmson, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Minchin, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mellish, Mr. and Mrs. R. Pringle, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. J. F. Di Macedo, Mrs. R. M. Heath, Mrs. P. E. Lowther, Mrs. A. J. Smith, Mrs. E. E. Davidson, Mrs. A. Thompson, Miss M. Harrington, Miss M. Holford, Miss Emily Smith, Miss V. Van Peet and Mr. George Everett.

### Visitors to England

Registering at B.C. House, London, England, during the past week were the following Victorians: Mrs. J. Baines Lewis, Mr. Allan M. Davies, Mrs. D. Gordon-Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Trigg, Mr. John Rutlan, Miss Wilhelmina C. Pettierew, Miss Clara V. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Turner, Mrs. D. T. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Noble and from James Island, Mr. George Meade-Robins.

## Clubs, Societies

The WA to Court Garden City, IOOF, will hold its monthly whist party at 8 o'clock this evening at the K of P Hall.

Monthly meeting of the Auxiliary to the Multiple Sclerosis Chapter will be held on Friday at 8 p.m. at Red Cross House, Fort Street.

Navy League Chapter, IOOE, will meet in headquarters, Courtney Street, at 2 p.m. on Friday.

A card party, held recently by the Soroptimist Club of Victoria raised \$150, which is to be given to the Jubilee Hospital's building fund.

Esquimalt Chapter, IOOE, will meet on Monday at the home of Mrs. J. A. Brown, 437 Constance Avenue, at 1.30 p.m.

Miss Dorothy Stark, recently retired as representative of the CNIB in Victoria, was the guest of honor at a tea given by the R. B. McMicking Chap-

ter, IOOE, at the CNIB headquarters last Saturday. Other guests included members of the White Cane Club, Madame Rene Archibald and Miss Gloria Mortimer, who is taking over the position held for many years by Miss Stark.

To commemorate the happy occasion, Miss Allison Chrow presented Miss Stark with a black leather handbag.

The following vocalists and their accompanists performed during the afternoon: Mrs. Iris Paver, Miss Pamela Paver, Master Timothy Vernon and Mr. Ron Berod.

Indian Community at Opatate, near Tofino, will hold a bazaar, sale of work and afternoon tea on Indian Day, May 23 in the Opatate Community Hall. The affair is put on by the St. Anne's Club and proceeds will go to the building fund for the new St. Anselms church. Club president is Mrs. Mary Haynes, secretary, Miss Agnes Martin and treasurer, Mrs. Stephen David.



Past presidents of the Women's Canadian Club of Victoria which held its golden jubilee pageant yesterday at the Empress Hotel, include from left to right, back, Mrs. Alan Campbell, Mrs. W. G. Wilson,

Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. R. D. Harvey and Mrs. T. H. Johns. In front seated are Mrs. J. J. Willis, Mrs. Gordon Wismer, Miss Kathleen Agnew and Mrs. Percy B. Scurrah.—(Colonist photo.)

### Women's Canadian Club Pageant

## Hard-Headed Drive Pulled Club Through

Shakespeare made one of his characters say: Women are soft, mild, pitiful and flexible.

In yesterday's narration by Miss Ethel Bruce of the pageant celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of the Women's Canadian Club of Victoria, she pointed out that this quote doesn't apply to the women who've guided the club from 1909.

### 'ON CONTRARY'

"On the contrary," she said, "these women have been women of energy, intelligence, hard-headed practicality and vital drive."

In the costumed review of the 50 years compiled from old minutes by Miss Jessie Gordon, it was noted that 61 members were enrolled in the first club. Today, there is close to 500 members.

Aims of the club in the early years were to entertain distinguished visitors among them various governors-general and their wives, noted statesmen and their wives and authors and artists from all parts of the Empire; the club also secured speakers on topics of special interest and took an active part in community affairs.

### CHURCH PARADE

Members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and Rebekah Lodges will hold a church parade on Sunday at 7.15 p.m. at Centennial United Church to commemorate the 140th anniversary of the founding of the order.

During the war years the club threw itself into war work. During the First World War, a Returned Soldiers' fund helped to relieve difficult situations; aid was given soldiers' wives and military hospitals. More than \$10,000 was raised.

Other war efforts were a waste prevention campaign and a canning club kitchen. Educational work has always been an interest of the WCC.

The first bursaries were given to the Victoria High School and the amounts have been raised to \$150 to each boy and girl achieving the highest matriculation marks.

For their war work, the club held innumerable bridge parties and musicals, a Government House garden party a campaign to buy a mobile canteen for use of the troops, the buying of Victory bonds, blanket drives.

There have been many memorable speakers in the club's history, among them Matthew Halton, Beverly Baxter, Dr. J. S. Plaskett, Mme. Joffre, wife of the French general, and many more.

In 1928, the club compiled a book titled "The Pioneer Women of Vancouver Island."

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## City Man Married In U.K.

A wedding of interest in Portsmouth, England, united Jean Rose Audrey Evans and Gordon Howard Norrie of Victoria.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Norrie, Cavenish Avenue.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Evans, "Threeways," Eastern Parade, Southsea, Hampshire, England.

Following a honeymoon in London and Edinburgh, the couple will return to Victoria to live in the Highlander Apartments, Haultain Street. The couple were married May 2 in St. James Church, Portsmouth, in a setting of white lilies, carnations and coral gladioli.

For her afternoon wedding Miss Evans chose a gown of white slipper satin with lace and a shoulder-length veil. Her flowers were a spray of lilies of the valley and stephanotis.

Her only attendant was Miss Audrey Scott in coral nylon chiffon with a spray of cream roses.

Best man was Mr. Ken Travis and ushers were Mr. C. N. Scott, Mr. R. Weave and Mr. W. Burnett.

For her honeymoon, Mrs. Norrie chose a coffee shantung silk suit with matching hat, lizard skin accessories and a short fur jacket.

### WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Lake Hill Women's Institute is holding a spring tea in the Quadra Street Hall on Wednesday, May 20, at 2.30 p.m. Proceeds in aid of the Royal Jubilee Hospital building fund.

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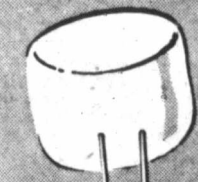
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Drain off liquid from salmon and reserve. Flake salmon.

Melt butter or margarine; sauté onion until soft. Blend in flour. Add enough milk to reserved salmon liquid to make one cup. Gradually blend into butter-flour mixture. Cook, stirring, until thickened and smooth. Blend in boiling sauce the salmon, celery, parsley and lemon rind. Reduce heat.

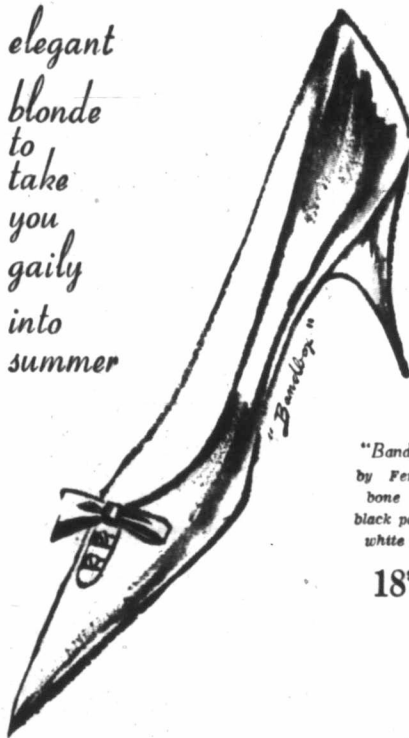
Beat egg yolks and stir into salmon mixture. Cook and stir over low heat about one minute to let egg yolks thicken. Season mixture with salt, paprika, marjoram and lemon juice. Cool slightly while beating egg whites... until stiff. Fold lightly into salmon mixture.

Pour into ungreased baking dish approximately seven inches in diameter. Bake in moderate oven preheated to 325 degrees Fahrenheit about 40 minutes.

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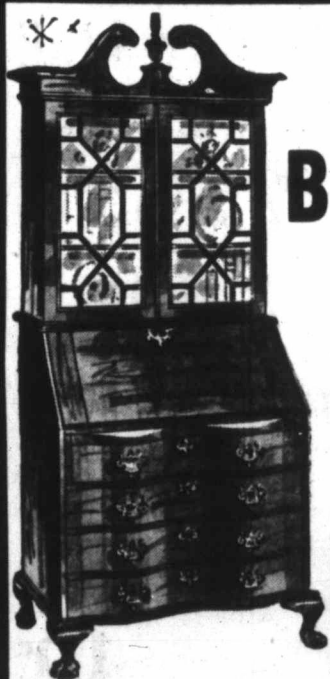
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The index is based on a fixed year, 1949, at which prices were figured as 100 per cent. According to latest calculations, certain basic commodities stand at about 125.4 per cent.

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this change in the price of oranges. Right now we buy oranges at two pounds for 29 cents. The most nutritious orange to eat in the summer is the Valencia. It's tart alongside the sweet and juicy navel oranges from California but the crop is large and the price is right.

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By Mary Sue Miller



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### Debutantes Go Through The Motions

LONDON (UPI)—Britain's teen-age debutantes went bravely through the motion of turning into social butterflies Monday night even though there no longer is any chance of presentation to Queen Elizabeth.

The Queen cancelled the presentation parties which gave debutantes the world over a chance to use the hallowed phrase "presented at court" because they were encrusted with so much snobbery and so many side rackets.

This seemed to give the deb season the death blow but last night scores of girls in satin walked in traditional formation to music by Handel at the Queen Charlotte's charity ball which commemorates a birthday party given by the wife of George III.

The equally traditional birthday cake was cut by the pretty Duchess of Rutland who was escorted by 172 maids of honor.

### Healing Hearts By Electricity

Heart failure deaths on the operating table may soon be a thing of the past. How come? Amazing new electrical discoveries have shown how a failing heart can be shocked into life. Read of this exciting discovery in this week's Star Weekly. Also in this week's Star Weekly "Kim Novak's Story" and "Britain's Shocking Black-board Jungle."

STAR WEEKLY

### St. Andrew's and Caledonia

## 100-Year Party Planned

To celebrate its 100th birthday, the St. Andrew's and Caledonia Society will hold a huge century garden party in the grounds of the Redwood Park auto court and home of Mr. and Mrs. Nordhal, Gorge Road, on July 18.

There will be attractions of all kinds, using the century theme, and conveners of stalls will be dressed in the styles of 100 years ago up to the present.

General conveners are Mrs. T. Y. Grant, society president; Mrs. G. Inglis and Mrs. J. Marrs.

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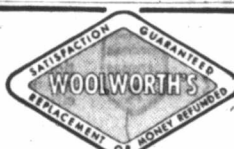
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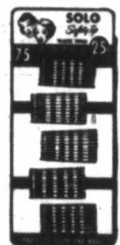
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LONDON (Reuters)—The Queensland State Art Gallery of Australia paid \$25,000 (about \$154,000) Wednesday for Picasso's painting of a nude, "La Belle Hollandaise." Price is a record for a Picasso and Sotheby's, the London auctioneers who sold the painting, said it is the highest ever paid for a work by a living artist.



DEANE FINLAYSON  
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## Would Hurt Power Commission

# Shrum Plan 'Unwise' Finlayson Charges

Acceptance of the Shrum proposal on B.C. Power Commission reserves would undermine the independence and autonomy of the publicly-owned body, B.C. Conservative leader Deane Finlayson said last night.

"The Shrum royal commission," he said, "takes the position that since the government stands financially behind the power commission, it is therefore unnecessary for it to build substantial reserves."

By taking this position, the Shrum commission sought to eliminate the necessity for granting the eight-per-cent rate increase asked by the power commission, Mr. Finlayson said.

"ON THE MERCY" "In my opinion, this is not sound business practice. Nor is it wise to throw the power commission upon the mercy of the government."

"I'm personally allergic to all forms of increase in prices, but there is value in having a reasonably independent, soundly-financed power commission which in the long run will provide better service and cheaper power."

Mr. Finlayson agreed with two other proposals contained in the Shrum commission interim report—that consumer rate structures need to be revised, and that a new form of subsidy should be planned for financing rural electrification.

**BRIGGS 'VINDICATED'** Former power commission general manager H. Lee Briggs was "completely vindicated" by the interim report's suggestion that a "block rate structure" be set up to replace the present R-2 and R-3 residential rate structures, said Mr. Finlayson. Identical recommendations were made in a management report submitted in April, 1958, but Thomas H. Crosby, at that time chairman, "was unsympathetic to the needs of the commission."

"I said Monday when the report came out that either Dr. Gordon Shrum or Thomas Crosby was incompetent, so far as deciding upon the proper B.C. Power Commission rates."

**RATES CHANGED** Mr. Finlayson explained that a block rate "would be more equitable to the mass of consumers" because householders in the present R-2 category, users of large quantities of electricity, would have to pay slightly more, while householders in the present R-3 category, such as old-age pensioners and persons who can't afford a lot of appliances, would have to pay slightly less.

Under the present rate structure, he said, R-2 householders who consume a lot of

electricity "can get a very cheap rate," while R-3 "consumers of electricity pay a relatively high rate."

**WENT ALONG** Going along with the Shrum commission recommendation for a change in rural electrification subsidies, Mr. Finlayson said:

"It should be made quite clear that the new form of subsidy, if and when it is paid, is not purposely misconstrued as inability on the part of the power commission to efficiently operate without government handouts."

Under present arrangements, customers in urban areas served by the BCPC "are subsidizing rural electrification of the province by having a portion of revenue derived from that source used for electrification of rural areas," he said.

The Shrum commission advocates, he said, "as had previous management of BCPC, that BCPC consumers shouldn't be required to subsidize rural areas."

## Dead Parents Disqualify Three Jurors

SPOKANE (AP)—Three of 20 prospective jurors in a \$68,500 car-pedestrian damage suit were dismissed Wednesday because their parents were run over and killed by automobiles.

Mrs. Newton McCoy, wife of a Moses Lake attorney, filed the suit against Richard Grundt of Inglewood, Calif., and his nephew, John Roth, 18, for a traffic accident at Moses Lake Sept. 7, 1957.

Mrs. Evelyn Bradshaw was excused as a juror after telling the judge her mother was run over and killed by a car 20 years ago. Cashup Martin said his father was killed by a car in 1945 and asked to be excused. Robert Johnson said his father was killed by a car 25 years ago.

## Action Deferred On Shrum Report

The new five-member B.C. Power Commission is not expected to act until June 1 on the second interim Shrum royal commission report denying the power commission an average eight per cent rate increase, a spokesman said last night.

Each member of the power commission had a copy of the report—made public in Vancouver Monday by Premier Bennett—when it met behind closed doors here Tuesday.

Dr. Hugh Keenleyside, chairman of the new power commission, said the matter would be raised again during the power commission's next regular meeting on June 1, and added, "I think a decision may be made at that time."

"We haven't had time to study it properly, but each of us is taking a copy of the report," said Dr. Keenleyside.

The Shrum report said the rate increase sought by the power commission was not necessary because of increased revenues available to it, along

with government assistance in capital expansion and rural electrification.

A spokesman said last night that the power commission anticipates a \$3,600,000 deficit over the next two years and that one of the many courses of action which could be taken during the power body's June meeting would be a decision to use the commission's \$3,000,000 reserves to offset that deficit.

Rainfall is a major factor in the financial problems facing the power commission, the spokesman said, because oil-consuming thermal generators have to operate whenever hydro-electric generators are threatened by drought.

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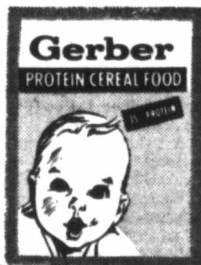
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## Negro Girl Victim

# Youths Indicted In Rape Charge

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (UPI) — An all-white grand jury yesterday indicted four young white men on mass rape charges in the recent abduction and assault upon a Negro co-ed.

The grand jury, called into special session, heard 18 witnesses including the slender victim, a student at all-Negro Florida A & M University here. She described how she was seized, bound and gagged and raped six times. The four defendants were arrested by a deputy sheriff who gave chase to the suspects' car and found the half-nude girl lying on the floor of the back seat.

Rape is a capital crime in Florida. There was no demonstration by more than 100 Negroes seated in a segregated third-floor gallery or from about 20 whites in the courtroom when the grand jury foreman handed the presentment to the judge, who said: "I accept the true bill."

Arraignment of the defendants was scheduled Friday.

The 12-member grand jury was in session for 6½ hours. The Negro spectators, many of them classmates of the victim, sat patiently awaiting the outcome.

The witnesses included two doctors, one white and one Negro, who had examined the girl earlier.

Police charged that the four youths, one of them a high school student and another only 16 years old, forced the girl into their car at the point of a shotgun early last Saturday. They said her hands were bound and she was raped by each of the defendants.

The defendants, arrested by a deputy sheriff after a high-speed chase, are Ollie Stoutamire, 16, Patrick C. Scarborough, 20, David E. Beagles, 18, William T. Collinsworth, 24. Judge Walker's charge to the jury was brief.

"You shall function without regard for race, color or creed," he said.

## Kim Novak's Story

Here is an intimate personal interview with the most puzzling star of our time. Is she a temperamental show-off or a shy homebody? In this feature you will come nearer to meeting the real Kim Novak than ever before. Don't miss it in this week's Star Weekly. Also in this week's Star Weekly read "Helping Hearts With Electricity"—and "Britain's Shocking Blackboard Jungle."

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## King of Some Beasts

King of beasts—in Monaco—is Prince Rainier, who is having no trouble with the leopards, mother and cub, in his tiny country's single zoo. The scene is from a documentary film about Monte Carlo.

# Papers Paid Heavily To Racketeers To Get Deliveries

WASHINGTON (AP) — An executive of the New York Times acknowledged Wednesday that his newspaper paid thousands of dollars in tribute to delivery of its Sunday sections from a commercial printing plant would not be blocked by a truckers' strike.

## 'Joy-Rider' Fined \$100, Loses Licence

Dennis H. Gardner, 2982 Albina, was fined \$100 in city police court Tuesday, and had his driver's licence suspended after pleading guilty to taking a car without the owner's consent.

Gardner, one of two youths charged jointly, changed an earlier plea of not guilty. The two were stopped by city police at Burnside and Dunedin about 10.30 p.m. May 1. Trial of the second youth, John Horne, was adjourned to today.

Other witnesses told the Senate racket committee a total of \$45,750 was paid to convicted labor extortionist Harold Gross and Cornelius Noonan, a New York longshoremen's union chief, to clear the way for deliveries to The Times and the New York Daily Mirror in September, 1948.

Committee chairman John L. McClellan, Arkansas Democrat, told Bradford, "It's a very sad commentary" when one of "the greatest publications of our country is subjected to a situation where the publication could be closed down unless it paid tribute." McClellan called it "very unfortunate that your paper did pay tribute."

McClellan said Congress must share the blame for allowing labor unions to wield such economic power.

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Warren Kelly, advertising director of The Mirror, testified his newspaper also made payments to assure deliveries of its supplements from the New Jersey plant of the Neo Gravure Printing Company.

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Officials of Neo Gravure testified their firm paid Gross and his relatives nearly \$260,000 in 14 years to shield it from labor troubles.

## CEYLON PEAKS

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## Flying Danes Go Too Far

WINNIPEG (CP) — Twenty Danes arrived here Wednesday after an airplane trip took them about 2,000 miles too far.

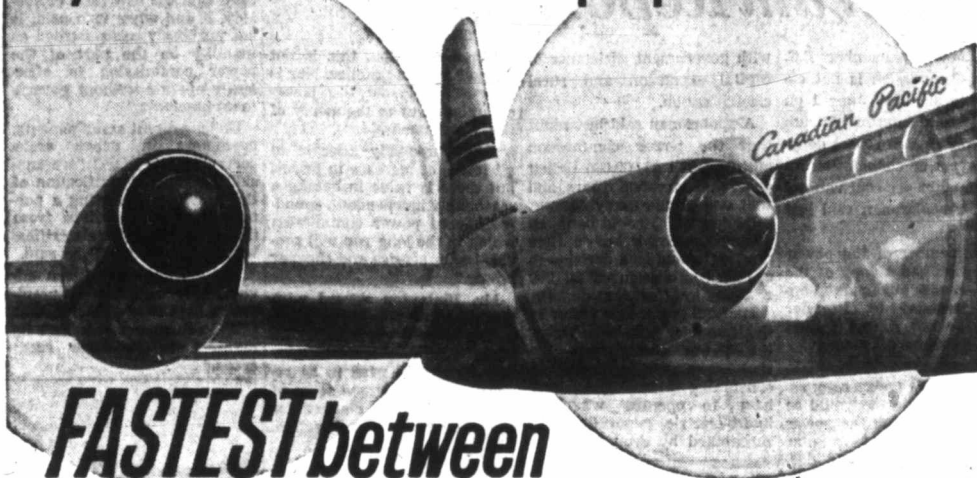
They left Denmark Tuesday on a Scandinavian Airlines System plane, bound for jobs in Greenland. Bad weather prevented landing and the pilot kept going.

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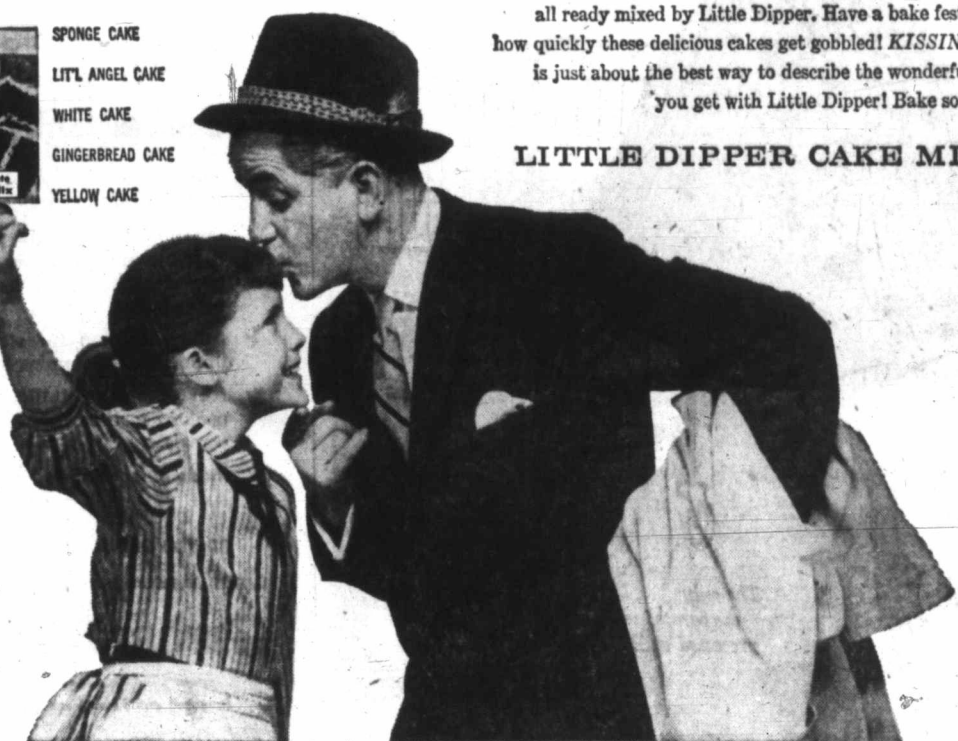
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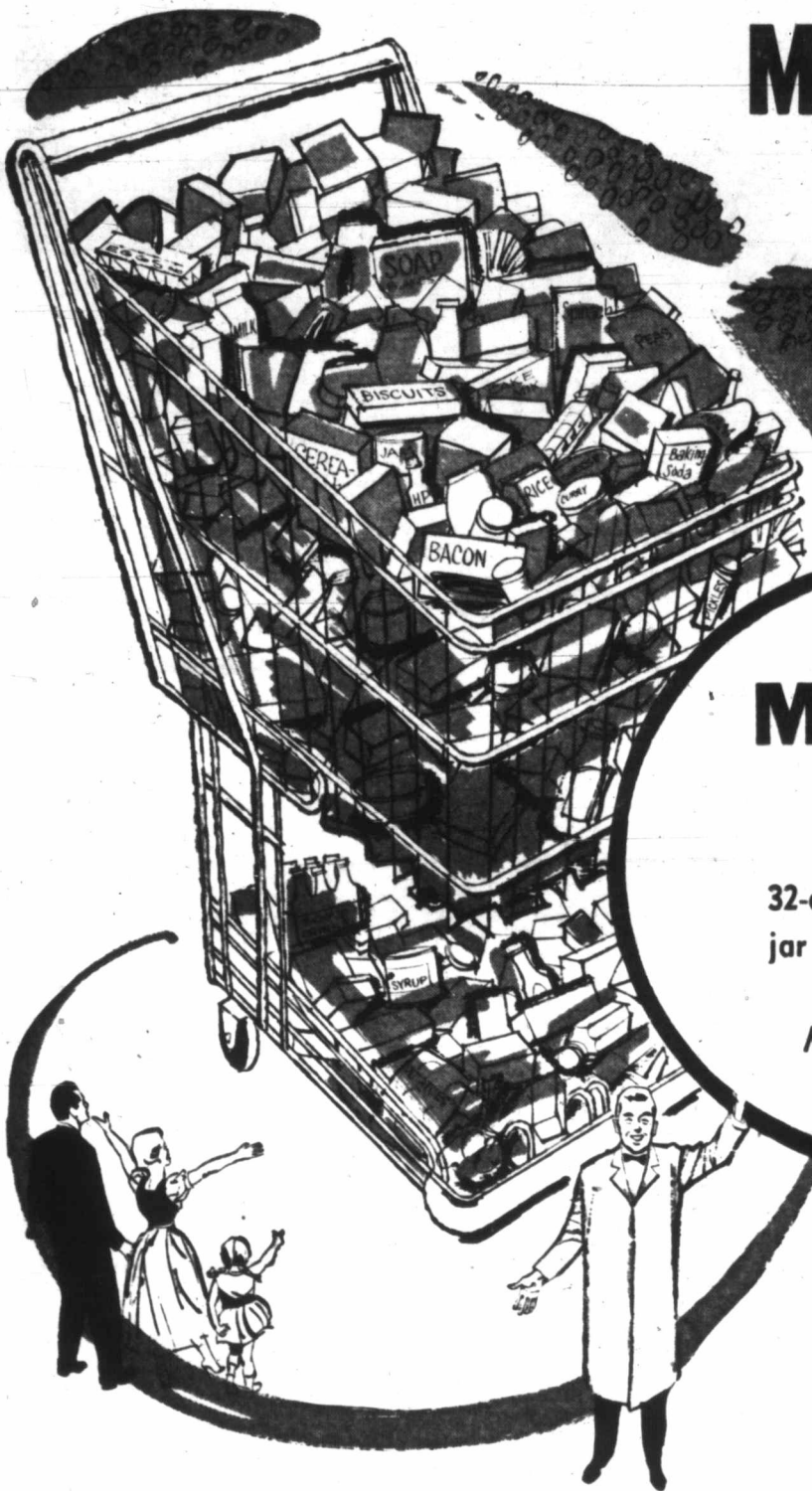
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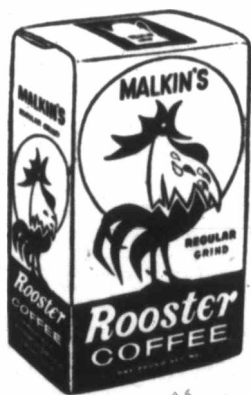
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## Calgary Dishwasher German Missile Ace

CALGARY (CP) — The Herald says a German immigrant who washed dishes in a Calgary hospital for two years has turned out to be one of Germany's top wartime missile experts.

Friedrich Wigand, 61, left Calgary Tuesday for a missile research centre in Huntsville, Ala., to join Dr. Werner von Braun, with whom he worked at Kummersdorf, Germany, during the Second World War.

Dr. Wigand refused to disclose details of what he would be doing but said he wrote Dr. von Braun last year and has been accepted for missile work by United States authorities.

The Herald says Dr. Wigand was separated from his wife and two sons after the war.

### The Corporation of the District of Oak Bay

Tenders are invited for the supply of one Four-Door Sedan, further particulars from the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. L. BROWN  
(Purchasing Agent)

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES DE GALLER, late of Glenaholm Hotel, Victoria, B.C. Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned executor at 614 West Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 1st day of June, 1959, after which date the executor will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they have notice.

THE CANADA TRUST COMPANY, Executor.  
By their Solicitors,  
McIlwain & McIlwain.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Director of Vital Statistics for a change of name, pursuant to the provisions of the "Change of Name Act," by me, Peter Halende, of 1184 Greenwood Avenue, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, as follows:

To change my name from Peter Halende to Peter Holland, my wife's name from Helena Bishop Halende to Helena Bishop Holland, my unmarried children's names, to Ronald Francis Holland, to Beverly Ann Holland, to Peter Neil Holland.

Dated this 4th day of May, A.D. 1959.

PETER HALENDEZ

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HENRY HOBBS, late of 2001 Beach Drive, Oak Bay, B.C. Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned Administrator at 714 Port Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 15th day of June, A.D. 1959, after which date the Administrator will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it then has notice.

DATED the 4th day of May, A.D. 1959.

THE CANADA PERMANENT TRUST COMPANY,  
714 Port St., Victoria, B.C.  
(P.O. Box No. 1223),  
Administrator.  
By: Moresby, Lauder, Matthews & Gairbhearn,  
Solicitors.

## AUCTION TODAY — 2.30

Entire Bakers' Equipment, Store Fixtures, Cash Registers, etc. of

### "THE PIE SHOP"

At 818 Douglas St.

(Next to Woodward's)

On View from 10 a.m.

This Morning

Maynard & Sons

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(As New)

De Luxe 6, 8 and 10 Cu. Ft. Refrigerators

Portable 17" G-E TV

(1958 Model)

21" TV Sets

G-E Washer with Pump (58 Model) Elec. Ranges, etc., Chrome and Wrought Iron Dinette-Sets, Coffee, End, and Occasional Tables, Office Desk and Chair, Chests, Dressers and Good Beds.

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Auto-Cycle

(Francis Barnett)

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## Key Man Picked Locks

## Navy Can't Spare Thief

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — William S. Miller is an unusual man—so unusual, in fact, that authorities can't afford to put him in jail as a telephone coin box thief.

Miller, a 36-year-old hospitalman first class in the navy, was taken before U.S. District Judge B. Harris on theft charges Tuesday.

He admitted taking \$2,568 from 110 pay phones.

Telephone officials want to know how. They described Miller as one of four persons known who can rob the "pick-proof" boxes.

Then defence attorney William Scammon presented the following arguments in behalf of Miller:

Navy authorities said a project to develop an X-ray procedure for cancer detection "will collapse" without him. His ingenuity is needed to continue development of a combination of color filters and intensifiers for X-ray machines.

He took the money to help pay medical expenses for his six-year-old daughter, Robin, who suffers from a congenital hip malformation.

Judge Harris released Miller on five years' probation, with an order to return the \$2,568 and make available to the telephone company his "special or unique appliances or inventions" used to rob the coin boxes.

## Roads Barred to Goods If Any Part from China

OTTAWA (CP) — The Canadian Trucking Association said Wednesday that products from the British crown colony of Hong Kong cannot be trucked through United States territory on trips between Canadian points if any part of the goods originated in Communist China.

This is the latest development in a Canada-United States controversy over transportation of goods from Communist China through the U.S. between points in Canada.

The federal government has protested a U.S. ban on such shipments.

John Magee, secretary of the truckers body, said American foreign assets control regulations stipulate that Hong Kong goods must carry

a "certificate of origin" stating that not only the goods but the raw materials in them must be a product of the British colony.

He said certificates are not issued if any part of the goods originated in Red China.

### RUS SPEEDS SERVICE

Vancouver Island Coach Lines is reducing the running time for its Victoria-Nanaimo-Vancouver schedule to four hours from May 15.

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### Veterans' Manager

Recently appointed secretary-manager of Victoria Unit No. 12 of the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans in Canada was Zachary Hamilton, former secretary-treasurer of the Regina school board.

## Traffic Fines

### SAANICH

Phillip Samuel Bevan, Sidney, careless driving, \$40.  
David J. Harling, 4028 Granville, careless driving, \$35.  
Ferdinand Frank LeCorre, 2761 Claude, careless driving, \$35.

Dieter Wilhelm, 953 Empress, careless driving, \$35.  
Irvin Reid, 2663 Blanshard, careless driving, \$35; driving while under suspension, \$50.

Dale Munro Shatford, 1433 Grant, no insurance, \$25.  
George Haines, 3011 Scott, no driver's licence, \$25.

### CITY

Jessie Lou, 2516 Douglas, careless driving, \$35.  
Robert F. Neaves, Sidney, exceeding 30, \$25.

Fano Imre Karakal, 448 Moss, exceeding 30, \$30.

Robert John MacLaughlin, 838 Esquimalt, careless driving, \$35.

Henry Allan McKinnon, 13 West Maddock, careless driving, \$35.

Robert H. Bowach, Port Arthur, careless driving, \$40.  
William A. Heller, 1284 Walnut, careless driving, \$40 and restricted to driving for business for one month.

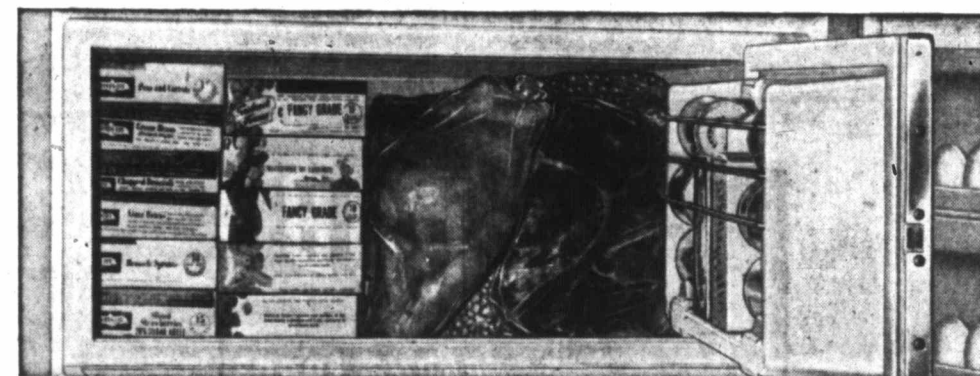
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Ernest Edward King, 1883 Gonzales, wrong way on one-way street, \$5.

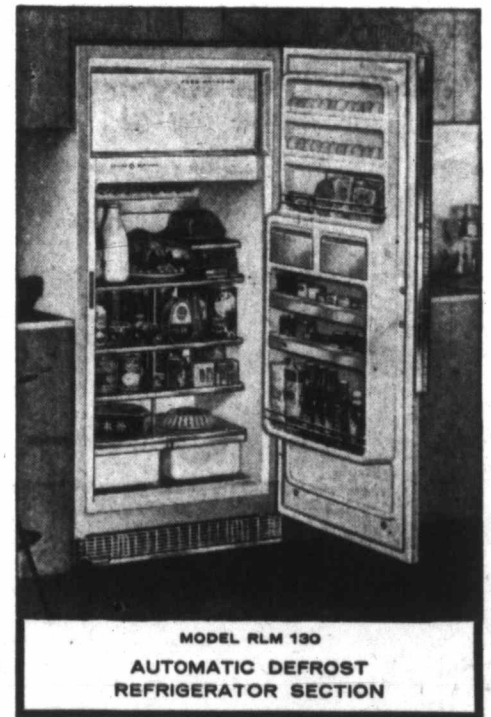
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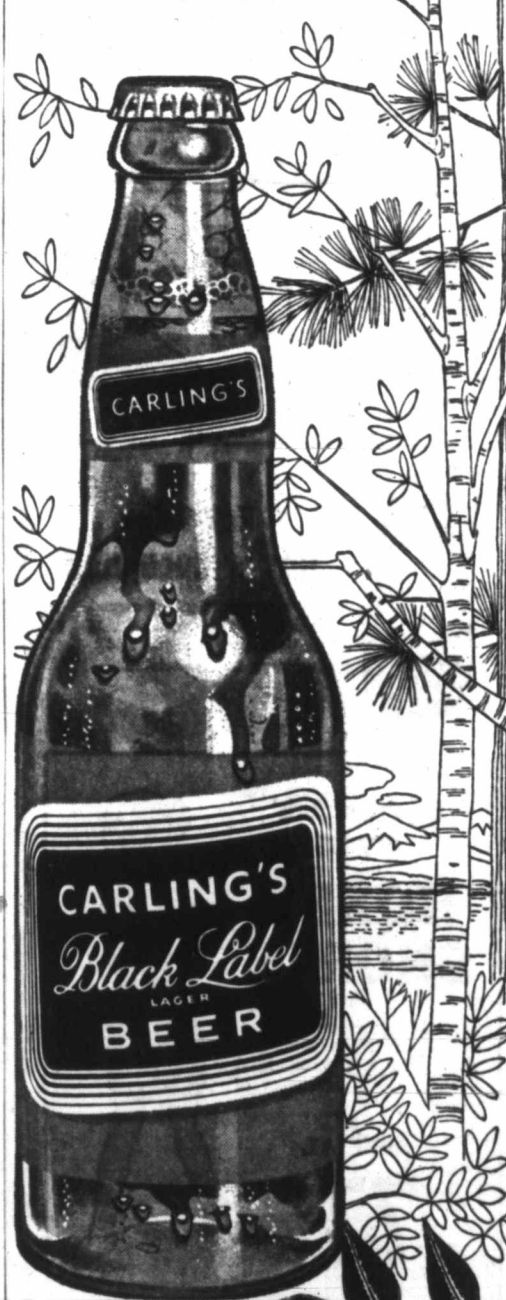


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## They'll Share Pages Heroes And Rogues

TORONTO (UPI) — Canadians will soon have a complete and up-to-date reference work on the nation's famous heroes and infamous rogues.

A multi-volume biography of Canadians who deserve notice—for their services or disservices—will be undertaken by the University of Toronto.

This who's who will include

persons born outside the country that who achieved fame in Canada and those born in Canada who won distinction abroad.

Sample questions the biography will attempt to answer: What kind of a man was Albert Guay of Quebec City, who died at the gallows for planting a bomb in a plane and blowing it up in mid-air?

And, when did Leif Erickson, a Viking seafarer, make his legendary voyages across the uncharted oceans to North America.

Launched with \$3,000,000-plus bequest by the late James Nicholson, a Toronto manufacturer who died seven years ago, the work will be modelled on the 67-volume National Biography published in Britain in the 19th century.

## Expert Wants To Snap Hummingbird

One of North America's leading bird experts, Dr. Arthur A. Allen, director of the ornithological laboratory of Cornell University, wants to talk to any Victoria resident who is feeding hummingbirds in his garden.

"I'm looking for a person who has a feeding station for the birds," he said. "This usually consists of a glass tube which contains a syrup of water and sugar."

An explorer and writer for the National Geographic Magazine, Dr. Allen said the rufous hummingbird was the only bird he hasn't got in his collection of color photographs. Dr. Allen may be reached through the provincial museum.

## Local Briefs

Two 19-year-old youths pleaded guilty in Saanich court Tuesday to being minors in possession of liquor. George Haines, 3011 Scott, and Donald Hugh McLaren, Colwood, were fined \$15 each.

Frederick Morry, 1417 Government, was fined \$50 by Magistrate William Ostler when he pleaded guilty to consuming liquor in a public place—on Douglas Street.

Victoria police commission has added its congratulations to the good wishes extended Magistrate William Ostler on his appointment to that position for Greater Victoria.

"During the time Mr. Ostler has been on the bench," said Commissioner W. J. Hamilton, "he has been fair, sound, and has displayed common sense. He is at all times a gentleman, but when necessary can be strict. He has done a splendid job."

Official opening Saturday of an arboretum at Playfair Park, Saanich, will begin at 2.30 p.m. with the arrival of Mrs. Frank Ross, wife of the lieutenant-governor.

Roy Conarroe of Victoria out-manoeuvred 12 other contestants to take top honors recently in the annual "fork-lift rodeo" sponsored by B.C. Forest Products Ltd.

Second place went to John Worid. Jim Munro was third. The contest, which involves driving a fork-lift truck loaded with a 3,000-pound bundle of plywood, through an intricate obstacle course, was held at the B.C. Forest Products Gorge Road plant.



## Half-Mile Move Cost \$314

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons public accounts committee decided Wednesday to call witnesses in an effort to find out why it cost \$314 to have an RCAF officer's furniture and effects moved half a mile.

Richard A. Bell (PC, Carleton) said the amount is "simply outrageous."

"The last time I moved it cost me \$25, and I went farther than half a mile," said Mr. Bell.

"This type of thing is just wasting the taxpayer's money."

The committee was discussing a case mentioned in the auditor-general's last report involving an RCAF officer, ordered to move from one building in Rockcliffe air station to another half a mile away.

## Clam Harvest Near Record

ABERDEEN, Wash. (AP)—Washington's commercial harvest of 725,000 pounds of razor clams was the second largest in the last 10 years, exceeded only by the 790,000 pounds taken last year, the state fisheries department reported Wednesday.

## Where Do They Come From?

# Find Lane Ducks Early

By JACK HUTTON  
And DAVID BROWN

Where are our lame duck readers coming from in the public school system?

The answer to this question, of course, lies in the school, the home and the pupils themselves. The important thing about delayed readers is that they must be identified by means of tests as early as possible in their school careers, and remedial treatment must be prescribed as long as necessary in any grade.

"The teaching of reading has improved steadily in Greater Victoria over the past 13 years," says superintendent John Gough, "chiefly because readers nowadays are 'reading-conscious'."

"They test their pupils for the presence, or absence, of

specific reading skills. These skills can be taught, and are being taught, not only in the beginning reading stage, but in all grades."

Juvenile reading has climbed steadily in city libraries. But if even 10 per cent of our children do not read up to their mental ability, our public school system needs to offer remedial reading to meet the needs of those pupils.

It could be argued that they were the 10 per cent who

## Teaching Improved In Past 13 Years

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would have been poor readers, even if they had been in school 50 years ago, but that is no excuse in an era devoted to public education for the greatest number.

### TREAT TROUBLE

Today, teachers identify the 10 per cent that need remedial treatment. Furthermore, they treat the educational ailment until the patient recovers what is, for him, normal reading health.

Local officials and supervisors list one basic reason for failure to read properly: lack of maturity at some important stage in the learning process.

As Miss Verna Turner, director of tests and measurements and special education for the Victoria school district, puts it: "Somewhere along the line pressures are put on the child to make him hurry along to the next step without mastering the last."

### GIRLS AHEAD

"It can be argued, for instance, that boys should have different texts than girls because they arrive at school with different concepts. The first reading texts are based on home concepts which any young girl understands better. The boys are at a disadvantage, and generally will be about a year behind the girls in maturity."

An American convention on reading even argued last year

Last of four articles reviewing the approach of Canadian schools to a key part of instruction—a good grounding in reading for the youngest pupils.

that boys should start school one year later than girls—a suggestion which fell by the wayside as a result of public opinion.

Experts are still guessing at why one child learns to read well while another does not—but the majority aspect is an important one which not enough parents realize.

### ROSY MEMORY

"Why isn't he reading yet?" fumes Dad, who retains some rosy idea of how he learned to read completely without effort and at some age comparable to John Stuart Mill's, for example.

This kind of nagging can put tremendous emotional pressure on a child, particularly at the kindergarten stage where Father each night asks for some account of what he has learned.

The child who continually worries about not meeting Dad's expectations can develop sizable mental blocks in the way of his own reading progress, according to educators.

### IN GROUPS

Every primary division in Greater Victoria now has its children split into groups. This means each child learns with children at roughly his same learning level.

Boys will always remain slightly behind girls, according to some educators, until at least their early high school years or beyond.

This does not mean that children who got off to a bad start cannot catch up.

### PRaise Efforts

The best thing any parent can do, according to reading specialists, is to praise the child's efforts and show interest in his reading—when the child comes to the parent.

The child will reach his own level in reading with expert help from the school. The home, despite well-meaning help, can create problems that harm the child's progress.

"Perhaps the one thing that we know best," said a school board official, "is that we are teaching unselected Johnnies to read much better than we were a few years ago."

## Britain's Shocking Blackboard Jungle

In districts of Britain there are schools so vicious that masters aren't go 'round alone. This dreadful expose will shock Canadians. Read it in this week's Star Weekly.

Also in this week's Star Weekly, "Kim Novak's Story" and "Helping Hearts With Electricity."

## STAR WEEKLY

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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**DEFENCE PRODUCTION OFFICERS** (to negotiate and administer contracts in various specialties—electronics development and production, aircraft repair and overhaul, instrument repair and overhaul, guided weapons development, aircraft engine repair and overhaul, and aircraft development and production), Defence Production, Ottawa, \$8,340-\$9,420.

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**CREATOR OF CANADIAN ART** (with university graduation and specialization in the history of art, and a working knowledge of English and French), National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa, \$6,210-\$6,660.

**COST ESTIMATORS** (to prepare estimates of cost for public buildings, and check estimates of cost submitted by Consulting Architects and Engineers), Building Construction Branch, Public Works, Ottawa, \$5,700 and \$6,210 to start.

**FISHING GEAR TECHNOLOGIST** (with experience in the operation of fishing vessels and use of various types of fishing gear and fish-finding equipment), Fisheries Department, Ottawa, \$5,700-\$6,180. For details, write to Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, and ask for circular 59-696.

**LECTURERS IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING** (with Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering), Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont. Up to \$5,880. For details, write to Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, and ask for circular 59-2005.

**SUPERVISING FINGERPRINT TECHNICIAN**, Canadian Armed Forces Identification Bureau, National Defence, Ottawa, \$5,280-\$5,730.

**AIRCRAFT MECHANICS** (with valid Aircraft Maintenance Engineer's "M" licence), Transport Department, various centres, \$4,230-\$4,680.

**ARTS AND CRAFTS INSTRUCTOR** (for Eskimo and Indian trainees in a rehabilitation centre), Northern Affairs and National Resources, Inuvik, N.W.T. \$4,200-\$4,800 plus isolation allowance.

**HEATING AND VENTILATING DRAFTSMAN**, Construction Branch, Transport, Ottawa, \$4,050-\$4,500.

**INORGANIC CHEMISTRY TECHNICIAN** (to carry out variety of sampling and analytical measurements or observations in atmospheric pollution or industrial hygiene studies), Occupational Health Division, National Health and Welfare, Ottawa, \$3,750-\$4,350.

**OPERATING ROOM SUPERVISOR** (registered nurse with certificate in operating room technique), Veterans Affairs, Queen Mary Veterans Hospital, Montreal, P.Q. \$3,570-\$4,170.

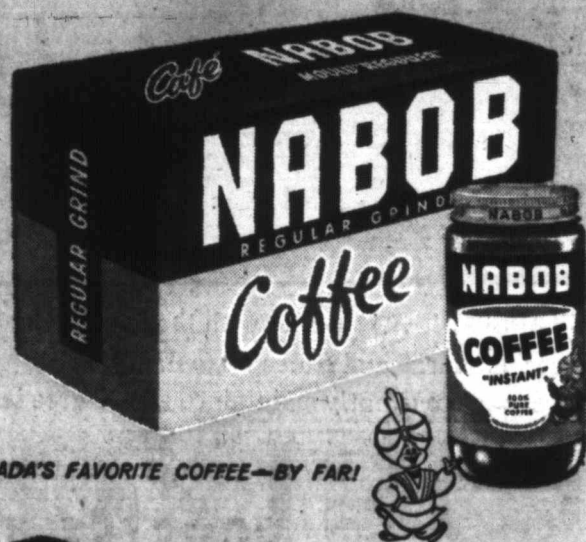
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## Cattle Infect Humans

# Steacy Goes to Scene Of Disease Outbreak

TRAIL (CP) — Agriculture Minister Newton Steacy came here Wednesday to investigate an outbreak of brucellosis and undulant fever, a situation he said his department views with considerable gravity.

"We are most concerned about it," he said. "It is a very serious and dangerous situation."

He referred to brucellosis which broke out in a dairy herd here and to three cases of undulant fever among humans, apparently as a result

of drinking raw milk from the infected cattle.

In cattle the disease causes premature birth and thus loss of calves.

Passed to humans through raw, unpasteurized milk, it is known as undulant fever—a type of up-and-down fever similar to typhoid and accompanied by a general muscular weakness. In humans it may return at intervals for several months.

The dairy herd believed the source of the disease has since been destroyed and the dairy

is no longer operating. Tuesday, Trail-Tadanac Hospital officials reported the third case of undulant fever here. Earlier a 14-year-old boy and a man contracted the disease but word of these two cases had not been made public in order to prevent any public alarm.

Mr. Steacy said the provincial government had stamped out brucellosis in this area in 1957. Since that time the responsibility for testing cattle had been turned over to the federal government.



AGRICULTURE MINISTER  
NEWTON STEACY  
... 'dangerous'

## People Harass Surgeon-Seer

# All in Spirit of Fun

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (UPI)—A young surgeon, whose predictions have been uncannily accurate, said yesterday he wishes people would quit trying to cash in on his forecasts, because it's all in a spirit of fun.

Dr. Spencer Thornton, 29, has been besieged by callers since the word got out that he predicted the Kentucky Derby finish, one-two-three, including the photo finish.

People want to know about horse races, baseball games, boxing matches and all kinds of events on which they might make money betting.

## Forecasting Done by ESP

"I predict things as a hobby and primarily to entertain," Thornton said.

He doesn't use mirrors or mediums to figure out his predictions, which he claims are 85 per cent accurate. It's all done by "ESP"—extra sensory perception.

Thornton's Kentucky Derby predictions were notarized and placed in a bank vault several days before the Derby. A United Press International

photographer was on hand to record the event.

This week, the envelope containing the Derby prediction was removed from the vault, again with UPI photographer Bob Schnitzlein on hand to take pictures.

Thornton called it exactly right—Tomy Lee, Sword Dancer and First, Landing with the notation that Tomy Lee would win "in a photo finish over Sword Dancer."

The first step in developing ESP, Thornton says, is to remove from your mind the thought that it can't be done.

Daily Colonist, Victoria  
Thursday, May 1959 33

## Second Head Removed, Dog Normal

MOSCOW (AP) — The professor who grafted the head of a puppy onto an Alsatian dog named "Pirate" reports that the puppy's head has been removed and the big dog is back to normal.

Pirate lived as a two-headed dog for 29 days, said Prof. Vladimir Demikhov.

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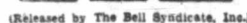
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## Critics Pan London Flop

# Angry Osborne Licks Wounds

## Tars Ride Free Toronto Rules

TORONTO (UPI)—The Toronto Transit Commission has decided to give free rides on its buses and streetcars to NATO sailors visiting Toronto this summer.

Nineteen naval ships from the United States, Britain, West Germany, Belgium and other countries are to take part in ceremonies marking Toronto's first year as a seaport.

Hiram McCallum, manager of the Canadian National Exhibition, said it was important the sailors get an impression of Toronto as a hospitable city.

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LONDON (Reuters)—John Osborne, one of Britain's angry young men, yesterday licked his wounds after being mauled by theatre critics following the disastrous premiere of his first musical.

A glittering first-night audience at London's Palace Theatre alternated boos and catcalls with frigid silence as "The World of Paul Slickey" unfolded. The cast got four curtain calls.

**CREPT OUT OF THEATRE**  
The 29-year-old playwright, who gained fame three years ago with "Look Back in Anger," crept out of the theatre telling reporters he felt "dreadful."

Says The Daily Mail: "There is nothing really wrong with it that a new plot, or at any rate a plot, a new set of characters and lyrics, and an injection of the author's normally virile and adult wit would not put right."

**'OSBORNE'S FOLLY'**  
Critic John Thompson of The Daily Express suggested the show—a satire about a London newspaper gossip columnist which features a jazz funeral, a cigar-smoking priest and a sex change—should be sub-titled "Osborne's Folly."

The Times used such adjectives as "extraordinary dullness," "vulgar mockery," and "bring." Its critics said the majority of Osborne's lyrics were "badly written."

**FIRST NIGHTERS**  
The theatre was thronged by such first-nighters as the Duchess of Argyll, the Duke of Bedford, Laborite Aneurin Bevan, actor-playwright Noel Coward and novelist Graham Greene.

Loud boos erupted from the balcony section during a scene in which a priest with a cigar is seen jiving at a funeral where the pallbearers are doing rock 'n' roll.

During the second act of Tchaikovsky's "Swan Lake,"



ANNE HEGGTVEIT  
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ROBERTSON DAVIES  
... also a painter

# Queen's Dinner Guest List Jolts Ottawa Socialites

## Wanted—a Good 'Cry'

Victoria Theatre Guild wants a copy of Johnny Ray's recording "Cry." It is needed for the forthcoming production of "As Long As They're Happy," opening May 23. Anyone willing to provide the "Cry" waxing is asked to phone Anabel Cranston at EV 3-5045.

# Vancouver Ballerina Wows Covent Garden

LONDON (CP)—Lynn Seymour, a tiny 20-year-old dancer, Wednesday night became the first Canadian prima ballerina of the Royal Ballet Company, and the ballet-wise Covent Garden audience loved her.

When it was all over a thunderous ovation brought Lynn back for nine curtain calls. She was virtually banked in flowers.

She danced the dual role of Odette and Odile and from the moment she floated across the stage it was obvious she had everyone in the packed theatre on her side.

She felt this, too. Later, in her dressing room she panted from her marathon performance and talked about "those dear, dear people."

**DIDN'T NOTICE**  
Lynn said she made "slips all over the place," but if her audience noticed then it didn't show it.

When the applause died away and the little dancer slipped down to her dressing room and into an old orange gown, she admitted:

"I was terrified, absolutely terrified—not just at the beginning, but all the way through. It seemed to get worse. Then all of a sudden it was over."

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# Canadian Skater Smash Hit In Moscow Show

MOSCOW (UPI)—Guy Longpre from Sherbrooke, Que., is the biggest foreign show business celebrity here since Van Cliburn sat down to play.

Every night Guy dons a sailor uniform and ice skates and skids around as an inebriated swab at the Lenin Sports Palace in the popular American ice revue, "Holiday on Ice."

Whether it's because he pokes fun at an official uniform—a novelty here—or because he has spectacular skill on skates, the 28-year-old Canadian is the show-stopper.

The Russians applaud all the acts from Olympic champion figure skater Dick Button to baton-twirling Alice Quessy. But after Longpre's act they usually clap so long the next number is held up.

"I like it!" grinned Longpre in his suite at the Hotel Ukraine where the skaters live. "But the reaction is completely different than any other city. They're quiet during the number. At first I was worried. But after the number they seem to appreciate what they see."

**'HOLIDAY ON ICE'**  
Longpre, a skater since he was seven in Sherbrooke, has been touring Europe and South America with the "Holiday on Ice" show for 12 years. He thinks the Soviets are just as enthusiastic stage door fans as he's found in other cities.

"They wait outside the sports palace exits to get autographs and pat me on the shoulder," he said. "A lot show up at the hotel and wait in the lobby for me to sign programs."

**WESTERN PARKS**  
More than half the total area of Canada's national parks is in the five big park areas of Alberta.

Except for the formal dress—white tie for the men and gowns for the women—the affair sounds as though it will be another Dominion Day family dinner.

The formal attire is the Queen's own idea. She wants to dress up for Dominion Day. But there's nothing about the guest list that suggests stiff-necked formality.

It includes a hard-rock hockey star, a gentle ballerina, a tough labor leader, a couple of missionaries, an actor, an atomic scientist, a woman fish packer, a president of a big corporation, a champion skier, a newspaperman and a university president.

**MASSEY'S LIST**  
An announcement from Government House said Wednesday the guests were invited by Mr. Massey on behalf of the Queen. This suggests that Mr. Massey—who is said to know all the guests except one—prepared the list, with an eye to keeping the dinner "en famille" for the Queen and some of her Canadian subjects.

**DO THE WORK**  
The guests, a government official said, represent not the titular heads of various organizations as such, but Canadians who do the work and—in some cases—provide the spark for the various fields of Canadian activity.

The list includes only two from official circles—Prime Minister Diefenbaker and Opposition Leader Pearson, and their wives.

The rest of the list:  
Industry: Fraser Bruce, president of the Aluminum Company of Canada, and Mrs. Bruce, Montreal; A. E. Grauer, chairman and president of the British Columbia Power Corporation Limited, and Mrs. Grauer, Vancouver; Mrs. G. Penny, owner of a fish packing plant and fishing fleet, Ramea Island, Nfld.

Universities: Claude Bissell, president of the University of Toronto, and Mrs. Bissell, Toronto.

Painting: Lawren Harris, one of the famed Group of Seven, and Mrs. Harris, Vancouver.

Press: James McCook, parliamentary correspondent for the Ottawa Journal and president of the Parliamentary Press Gallery, and Mrs. McCook, Ottawa.

Letters: Robertson Davies, author of many books and plays and editor of the Peterborough Examiner, and Mrs. Davies, Peterborough, Ont.

Labor: Claude Jodoin, president of the Canadian Labor Congress, and Mrs. Jodoin, Ottawa.

Theatre: Gratien Gelinas, actor, director, playwright and director of the Comedie Canadienne, and Mrs. Gelinas, Montreal.

Medicine: Dr. J. B. Jobin, dean of medicine, Laval University, and Mrs. Jobin, Quebec City.

Sport: Maurice Richard, high-scoring star of Montreal Canadiens of the National Hockey League, and Mrs. Richard, Montreal; Anne Heggtveit, ski champion, Ottawa.

Science: Dr. David A. Keys, scientific adviser to the president of Atomic Energy of Canada Limited, and Mrs. Keys, Deep River, Ont.

The North: Rev. J. Biname, Roman Catholic missionary at Fort Norman, N.W.T.; and Right Rev. T. Greenwood, Anglican Bishop of the Yukon, and Mrs. Greenwood, Whitehorse, Y.T.

Music: Lois Marshall, soprano, Toronto.  
Ballet: Celia Franca, ballerina and director of the National Ballet of Canada, Toronto.  
Farming: Howard Hymas, mixed farmer, and Mrs. Hymas, Rosebud, Alta.  
Mr. Hymas is the only guest Mr. Massey has not met personally in the past.

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# Space Platform, Venus Rocket Started in U.S.

WASHINGTON (UPI)—\$33,500,000 contract for development of a space rocket which may be fired to Venus in early 1961 was awarded yesterday.

The three-stage Vega will also put a two-ton space laboratory with several men aboard into a 300-mile high orbit around the earth for several weeks.

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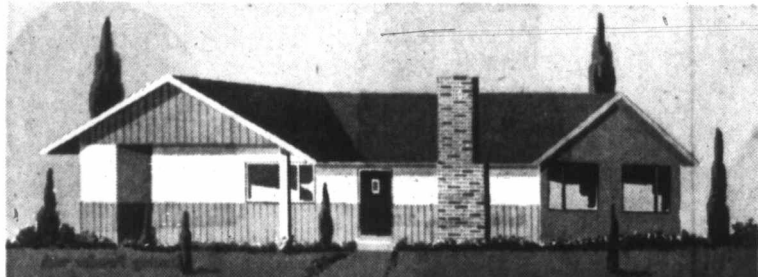
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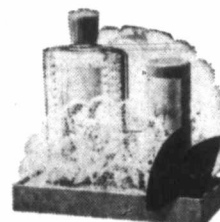
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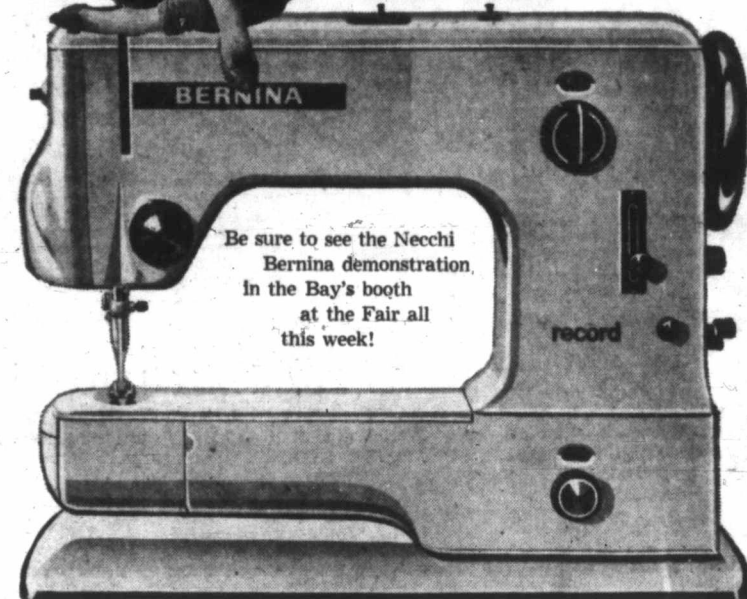


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KELOWNA (CP)—Premier Bennett told the board of trade here Wednesday night outeries by labor leaders against British Columbia's new trade union act will soon "fade away."

"It has to fade and die because the union people themselves know just as well as you and I that it is good legislation," he said.

Mr. Bennett said that if the Social Credit government were remembered for nothing else, he would be content if it were remembered "as the government of all the people."

The government will continue to resist pressure groups and defend the rights of trade unions, businesses and individuals," he said.

## U.K. Protests Shelling Of Trawler

LONDON (Reuters)—Britain Wednesday protested to Iceland against the "reckless" shelling of an unarmed trawler by an Icelandic gunboat last Thursday.

British-Icelandic "fish war" started last September when Britain refused to recognize the island republic's extension of its offshore fishing limit to 12 miles from four.

## Little People Ask Chance At Rockets

HOLLYWOOD (UPI)—The Little People of America, an international organization of midgets, appealed to the Pentagon last night to allow midgets to aid the U.S. satellite program by riding in the rockets.

Nels Nelson, four-foot vice-president of the group, said the organization was writing to the United States Air Force ballistics missile division to protect that the satellite program snubbed little people "against all the advice of science."

# AFTER RECORD BUDGET CUTS TAX RATE HIKE 2.25 MILLS

## 'We Can't Afford It' Slashing Session Theme

By R. O. MARRION

With "we can't afford it this year" as a motto, city council yesterday made record-breaking cuts in estimates and arrived at a tax-rate of 49 1/4, up 2 1/4 mills.

Council set this year's budget total at \$8,868,153, also a record-breaking figure and \$710,000 higher than last year's.

But in three days' sessions, it cut \$360,000 from preliminary expenditure estimates. This, officials were sure, had never been equalled. Most of the cutting was done yesterday.

Higher assessments this year on older homes—council's main reason for the cutback—rob "average" figures of meaning.

But for a typical fairly modern home, land assessed at \$800, house at \$5,200, the tax increase would be \$10.57 this year, or 4 1/4 per cent.

For a typical older home, with land assessed at \$800 and the house assessment boosted from \$1,800 to \$2,700, the tax increase would be \$38.42, or 37.6 per cent.

## Whole Boost, Schools

Although tax bills will indicate that the school rate has increased 1 1/4 mills, actually the whole 2 1/4-mill increase is in school costs, beyond city council's control. The equivalent of more than one-half mill has to be turned over to the school board from general revenue.

In slashing the estimates as much as it did, council exceeded the recommendations of city comptroller Dennis Young and even the hopes of many of the aldermen.

The comptroller had recommended that because of the burden this year on owners of older homes, council cut approximately \$230,000 from estimates for "special" expenditures aimed at development rather than maintenance. Council, still vigorous after

## Cut Out Road Work

It cut out road work on Douglas beside Beacon Hill Park, Foul Bay from Oak Bay to Fort Vancouver from Fort to Pandora and the Skinner extension, all as recommended, and half the price of a new deck for Johnson Street bridge, not recommended.

Traffic signals for Fort and Richmond were approved, but not a signal for Quadra and Johnson. The mayor said he used the intersection all the time and it wasn't bad.

Nor new signals for Johnson and Wharf — "What's wrong with that?" the mayor asked.

When it came to proposed expenditures for park development, council made a clean sweep, in line with the comptroller's recommendations, so fast that the other aldermen suddenly doubted that parks

## Wouldn't Go Away

Council wouldn't go along with the alderman's proposal, but later restored \$2,015 for development of Wesley playlot off Haultain.

After council's attacks on the parks budget, chiefly led by Ald. Geoffrey Edgell, Ald. Mooney said he would oppose a grant for the Chamber of Commerce and an increased grant for the Victoria & Island Publicity Bureau. — Like these bodies, the parks drew tourists to the city, he said.

The publicity bureau asked for a \$14,000 increase to its \$45,000 grant of last year. Alderman Mooney proposed reducing the grant.

"You are benefiting just the same as anyone else," Mayor Scurrah told him. "You annoy me more than some what. When we are spending \$400,000 on parks you have no right to complain."

Council, after considering Victoria's comparatively low per-capita spending on tourist attraction, voted to increase the grant by \$5,000.

The Chamber of Commerce asked for \$3,500 instead of the \$3,000 granted last year, but was given \$2,500.

Alderman Mooney also proposed allocating \$23,000 as usual this year for charitable and other grants. This year, he said, charity should start at home.

But council disagreed with him. Council maintained the business tax at last year's rate. "You can't increase that," Mayor Scurrah said. "We are taxing the merchants all they can stand."



## Youngsters Save Toddler from Drowning

With near-drowning incident still vivid in his mind, three-year-old Terry Troughton, 620 Raynor, rests in bed after being rescued from Selkirk Water by Jamie Ryan, 11, of 658 Pine, centre, and Edward Clutesi, 12, of 556 Raynor. See Page 17.—(Colonist photo.)

## Job Insurance

## Pocketbooks Little Lighter

OTTAWA (CP)—Workers and bosses will find the new federal unemployment insurance legislation a little tougher on their pocketbooks.

The government proposes to boost insurance rates by 30 per cent without increasing average benefits—the money you can draw when jobless.

However, there are some concessions. The maximum insurance period will be increased to 52 weeks from 36. Insurance will be extended to a higher bracket of wage-earners and the money the government allows jobless to make on the side will be increased without cutting into the weekly insurance benefits.

There's also a concession for prisoners. They'll be able to get insurance protection while serving up to two years in prison. Present rules cover prisoners, serving only up to 44 weeks.

All this was disclosed in the bill now up for debate before the Commons. Unemployment insurance authorities said one main reason for the proposed higher rates — shared on a 50-50 basis by workers and employers—is the need to replenish the insurance fund, hit by recession and unemployment.

During the last 28 months, the fund out of which insurance benefits are paid has been reduced to some \$500,000 from the record \$927,000,000 in December, 1956.

At present, wage-earners making up to \$4,800 a year are insured. The new legislation will boost this ceiling to \$5,400.

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## Television's Best

Big batch of Emmys—television's Oscars—went last night to show business veterans Fred Astaire and Dinah Shore. Dancer Astaire's one-hour spectacular last fall won nine Emmys, most for a single show in the awards' 11-year history. See story, Page 3.—(AP Photofax.)

## Russian Professor's Theory

## Martians Live Underground

WARSAW (UPI)—A Warsaw newspaper yesterday quoted a Russian professor as saying Martians may be living underground.

Prof. Aleksander Kazancow told the newspaper Zycie Warszawy in a Moscow interview that evidence is mounting of intelligent life on Mars.

The Soviet professor cited recently developed theories that:

—The great explosion in Siberia 50 years ago was caused by the crash and disintegration of a nuclear

powered space ship, possibly from Mars.

—The two moons of Mars are artificial satellites launched centuries ago.

—An atomic explosion was sighted on Mars two years ago.

Kazancow said intelligent life on Mars may have disappeared from the surface eons ago and may have developed artificial oxygen to survive underground. He said earth scientists have been successful in tests on creating artificial oxygen.

## City Tax In Brief

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DONALD GORDON  
... 'wasting time'

## Not Running CNR Right? 'Fire Us'

OTTAWA (CP)—CNR President Donald Gordon Wednesday told the Commons railway committee it should have him fired from his \$75,000-a-year job if it does not like the way he runs the railway.

The boss of North America's largest railway said bluntly to the committee that it is wasting time questioning him on small and local matters.

"I suggest," he said, "that you should be concerned more with how we eliminate our deficit rather than our serving cafeteria meals on trains."

"If you come to the conclusion that we are not an efficient management, for God's sake fire the lot of us."

## Logger Dies In Loading Accident

A Vancouver Island logger was killed when a log slipped during loading operations at the Bear Creek camp, Port Renfrew, yesterday.

Victim was Steven Kuznicki, about 50, of nearby Harris Creek.

Witnesses said Kuznicki was standing on top of a truck directing the loading when a short log slipped from the loading tongs and struck him on the head, knocking him from the truck onto the ground.



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The comptroller had recommended that because of the burden this year on owners of older homes, council cut approximately \$230,000 from estimates for "special" expenditures aimed at development rather than maintenance.

Council, still vigorous after

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For a start, the aldermen cut out \$53,572 for installation of arterial mercury lighting, as recommended by the comptroller.

City Manager C. C. Wyatt proposed that council at least leave money for new lighting on Oak Bay Avenue east of the Junction: it was just like driving into a tunnel, he said.

"It's desirable, but we can only go for necessities," said Mayor Percy Scurrell.

The council moved on to delete \$1,960 for extra lighting of three important intersections, a reduction not recommended.

## Cut Out Road Work

It cut out road work on Douglas beside Beacon Hill Park, Foul Bay from Oak Bay to Fort, Vancouver from Fort to Pandora and the Skinner extension, all as recommended, and half the price of a new deck for Johnson Street bridge, not recommended.

Traffic signals for Fort and Richmond were approved, but not a signal for Quadra and Johnson. The mayor said he used the intersection all the time and it wasn't bad.

Nor new signals for Johnson and Wharf — "What's wrong with that?" the mayor asked.

When it came to proposed expenditures for park development, council made a clean sweep, in line with the comptroller's recommendations, so fast that the other aldermen suddenly doubted that parks

chairman Ald. M. H. Mooney was aware of what they had done.

"I'm aware of it," he told them. "I'm just sitting back worrying about it. It was done in a flash, passed bango! The whole thing was hocus-pocus. Perhaps you could put the whole of parks out too the same way, without discussing it item by item."

"These small parks are important—little communities are entitled to some services. But bango, without discussion out they go."

On reflection, Ald. Hugh Ramsay proposed reinstating an estimate of \$5,670 for development of Pemberton Park, which he said council had promised the residents of the area as a condition of sale of city-owned lots.

"Alderman Ramsay, we just haven't got the money this year," the mayor told him.

## Wouldn't Go Away

Council wouldn't go along with the alderman's proposal, but later restored \$2,015 for development of Wesley playlot off Haultain.

After council's attacks on the parks budget, chiefly led by Ald. Geoffrey Edgell, Ald. Mooney said he would oppose a grant for the Chamber of Commerce and an increased grant for the Victoria & Island Publicity Bureau. Like these bodies, the parks drew tourists to the city, he said.

The publicity bureau asked

for a \$14,000 increase to its \$45,000 grant of last year. Alderman Mooney proposed reducing the grant.

"You are benefitting just the same as anyone else," Mayor Scurrell told him. "You annoy me more than somewhat. When we are spending \$400,000 on parks you have no right to complain."

Council, after considering Victoria's comparatively low per-capita spending on tourist attraction, voted to increase the grant by \$5,000.

The Chamber of Commerce asked for \$3,500 instead of the \$3,000 granted last year, but was given \$2,500.

Alderman Mooney also opposed allocating \$25,000 as usual this year for charitable and other grants. This year, he said, charity should start at home.

But council disagreed with him. Council maintained the business tax at last year's rate.

"You can't increase that," Mayor Scurrell said. "We are taxing the merchants all they can stand."

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## Not Running CNR Right? 'Fire Us'

OTTAWA (CP)—CNR President Donald Gordon Wednesday told the Commons railway committee it should have him fired from his \$75,000-a-year job if it does not like the way he runs the railway.

The boss of North America's largest railway said bluntly to the committee that it is wasting time questioning him on small and local matters.

"I suggest," he said, "that you should be concerned more with how we eliminate our deficit rather than our serving cafeteria meals on trains."

"If you come to the conclusion that we are not an efficient management, for God's sake fire the lot of us."

## Logger Dies In Loading Accident

A Vancouver Island logger was killed when a log slipped during loading operations at the Bear Creek camp, Port Renfrew, yesterday.

Victim was Steven Kuznicki, about 50, of nearby Harris Creek.

Witnesses said Kuznicki was standing on top of a truck directing the loading when a short log slipped from the loading tongs and struck him on the head, knocking him from the truck onto the ground.



## Tulips by the Million Fly East for Mother

Tulips by the million from the growing fields of Saanich peninsula are winging east to brighten Mother's Day, Sunday, in eastern and prairie homes.

Growers said last night an estimated 100,000 dozen tulips and as many as 30,000 dozen

narcissus will have been shipped by Trans-Canada Air Lines planes this week to eastern markets.

They described the color and quality of the showy blooms as particularly good this year.

Peak of the shipping was reached yesterday with today's volume almost as large.

All available cargo space on passenger planes is taken up with the flower shipments and one tulip special cargo plane yesterday carried 900 cartons—about 20,000 dozen flowers—destined for markets as far east as Halifax.

## 'Squeezed' Water Out of Him

# Boy Rescued, Revived By Young Playmates

## Seen in Passing

Sidney Custance, taking pictures of the march past at the annual inspection of cadets at University School. (The 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. M. Custance has been attending University School for four years. He has three brothers and two sisters. Sidney's hobbies are collecting guns, water skiing and photography.) . . . Ivan and Ray Shillington busy selling off goods at cost in order to convert their Quadra Street Grocery store into a laundromat. . . . Mrs. Jean Gray and Mrs. Chris Henderson lunching on the beach at Dallas Road. . . . Stan Mossop and Bill Passmore examining progress at the Gorge Park. . . . Mary Navenith taking a look too. . . . David Sloan and Chet Harrington lunching together.



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## Eighteen on Show

# Garden Tours Begin Today

Victoria will prove why it got the name "City of Gardens," during the next three days.

Eighteen Greater Victoria gardens are expected to be viewed by hundreds of area residents and tourists during the three-day Victoria Horticultural Society spring garden festival beginning at 1 p.m. today.

Bus tours will leave the C & C Taxi office, 906 Government, at 1 p.m. daily. Tours will last until 5:30 p.m.

Visitors using private transportation can obtain garden tickets at the C & C office or at homes on the tour.

Today's visits will include gardens of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Ahler, 1233 Palmer; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCubbin, 5050 Cordova Bay; Mr. and Mrs. C. Dowman, 4021 Shelbourne; Mr. and Mrs. F. Anson Firth, 2676 Queenswood; Mrs. M. L. Sayward-Wilson, 2670 Queenswood.

Gardens on display Friday will include those of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Edgell, 3230 Beach; Miss A. M. Woodroffe, 3150 Tarn Place; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. R. Brown, 3045 Beach; Mr. and Mrs. N. Akhaz, 1964 Fairfield; Mr. and Mrs. Theo Diminyatz, 617 St. Charles.

Saturday's tours will include the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. N. Pavell, Ardmore Drive; Mr. and Mrs. George Paulin, Chale Road; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Blair, All Bay Road; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hamill, 8337 Patricia Bay Highway.

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## Big Cake For Smith

City hall staff gave John Ingram Smith a big birthday cake yesterday.

Forty-seven years a member of the staff Mr. Smith will retire at the end of the month. He entered the treasury department "as a kid," he said yesterday, and for many years has been cashier.

will be open from 1 to 5 p.m. daily.

Other gardens will be viewed on the specified days.

## Saanich To Plug Loophole

Saanich is taking immediate action to plug a loophole in several bylaws which would allow property owners to build any number of dwellings on a single lot.

Reeve George Chatterton said: "There are indications that someone is using this loophole to try and circumvent our bylaws."

Officials said later that under certain circumstances it would enable a developer to go ahead with a subdivision without consent.

## Wrist Watch Found

# Clues Denote Chase Over Yards, Fences

A lot of "strange things" have been happening around the North Park-Quadra Street area lately, Mrs. George Larrigan, of 1728 Quadra, said last night.

Earlier in the day, her neighbors found traces of a chase that had taken place across a number of backyards there, but police later told her they didn't know anything about it.

"Someone must have been chasing somebody," she said, because a man's wrist watch was found in a hedge beside her back garden, heel prints were found in the garden, and the glass was broken on a number of cold frames in a neighbor's garden.

She believed a man being chased had the watch wrenched from his wrist when he leaped from the Quadra Street sidewalk over the hedge and

caught his wrist on a wooden picket fence, before dropping six feet into her garden and running through the neighboring yards.

Police have the wrist watch and are investigating.

## Youngsters' Fate Sealed With School Enrolment

Educational fate of hundreds of city youngsters will be sealed next week when parents visit Greater Victoria schools to enroll them in kindergarten and Grade 1 classes.

Registration of new pupils will be carried out at all

Greater Victoria elementary schools between 3 and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Children being enrolled for Grade 1 must be six years old by Dec. 31 and proof of age must be submitted.

Those who are attending kindergarten at the present

time need not be enrolled in Grade 1 during the period of general registration.

Children from the school district will be accepted for kindergarten enrolment under terms of a new policy, but preference will be given to the oldest. Youngsters must be five years old by Dec. 31.

City council cut its share of the budgets of three inter-municipal institutions yesterday and sat back to see what would happen.

It cut the budget of the public library by \$4,000, at an estimated saving of \$1,600 to the city, since presumably the other municipalities will save the rest.

It cut its proposed \$10,000 contribution to the \$15,000 budget of the Victoria-Saanich beaches and parks committee to \$8,000. (Aldermen acknowledged that Saanich would naturally cut its contribution to \$4,000.)

And it cut its demanded contribution of \$8,948 to the Capital Region Planning Board down to last year's level, \$7,522.

"What will happen if we cut it?" asked Mayor Percy Scurlah.

"I think the board is in a position to require us by law to pay," said city comptroller Dennis Young.

Council voted to cut the contribution anyway.



## Depressed but Still Determined to Fight

Somewhat depressed, but still determined, are these six stall-operators in city market, under notice to quit premises May 31. Only 11 stalls are still in operation in building slated for replacement by city parking lot. All operators are united in intention to hold fast until

final day, and in criticism of city hall for letting market run down. Still hoping for new quarters are, from left, Mrs. F. C. Blake, Mrs. J. E. Grant, A. Randy, Sam Jones, John Peddle and Jim Johnston.—(Colonist photo by Jim Ryan.)

## Only Pink, Blue Admit to Fair

Jaycee president Ray Rawnsley last night warned persons buying tickets on car raffles that only the pink and blue Jaycee raffle includes free admission to the exhibition.

"We've had people come to the door with tickets on another car raffle in the vicinity of the arena, believing the ticket also entitles them to admission. That is not so."

## Around the Island

# Cowichan Building Half 1958 Total

DUNCAN — Permits for construction in North Cowichan last month totalled \$60,200, less than half the amount for the same month a year ago.

During the first four months this year permits valued at \$228,400 have been taken out, \$170,000 less than the same period last year.

Of the permits given last month \$40,000 were for new homes and \$15,300 for repairs to houses.

NANAIMO — Scientists from the Pacific Biological Station here will study this fall what proportion of salmon go into British Columbia streams other than the Fraser River.

Dr. J. C. Stevenson said Tuesday it will be a new program for the station and will be in progress about four weeks.

Similar studies will be made in the Puget Sound area of Washington by United States scientists at the same time.

QUALICUM BEACH — Village Council has set the taxation mill rate at 30 mills, the same as last year. Breakdown of the mill rate shows 17 mills for school requisition; 2.75 for general purposes; 25 mill assessment following the newly passed South-Central Hospital Improvement District 20 referendum.

Last year the Village of Qualicum Beach was assessed at \$1,911,368; this year's assessment is \$2,218,040, an increase of \$306,672. School requisition is \$39,678, an increase of \$9,386 over last year.

ERRINGTON — W. H. Woodruff was elected president of the Errington War Memorial Hall board at an annual meeting, with Mrs. K. Vander Haeghe taking office as vice-president. Other officers elected are: Mrs. D. E. Stewart, re-elected secretary-treasurer; Mrs. M. O'Connor, L. R. Williamson, H. F. Butler, G. A. James Green, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mackay, Mrs. O. Bergquist, members of the executive committee. Other members of the board of trustees are S. J. Maxwell, A. Wilson Braddock and C. J. Morley.

ALBERNI — Charles Wiseman, 86, died at his home at 226 Margaret Street, Alberni, Monday.

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He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Ruby Shillington, Alberni; two sons, Charles W., Squamish, and Henry J., Bamfield.

Cremation will follow services at 2 p.m. Thursday in Stevens funeral home. Rev. Roy Rodgers officiating.

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Mr. Cochrane had lived in B.C. for 37 years and had followed the fishing industry in Jervis Inlet area and off Powell River before coming to Port Alberni.

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He was the great-grandson of Admiral Thomas Cochrane, Earl of Dundonald.

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The two first named plays were entries in the recent Courtenay drama festival, The Queen Dances going through to the honor night performances; while The Pink Lady was named best play at the Burnaby festival last year.

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Installation ceremonies will take place in June. Officers to be installed will be: Robert Lane, first vice-president; Walter Shogan, second vice-president; Robert Rowledge, third vice-president; Arthur Spencer, treasurer; Bruce Coburn, secretary; Al Glover "Lion Tamer"; Ian Jeffries "tail twister"; Gordon Farncombe, Gerry Berry, Les Corfield and Henry Reifel, directors.

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# 1,000 Ring Maypole At Esquimalt Park

More than 1,000 spectators thronged around a maypole at Esquimalt Memorial Park last night as warm spring weather provided a sunny setting for the coronation of

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Last year's May Queen, Gayle Wakeman, opened the program at the head of a procession which took the new queen and her colorfully-dressed pages and flower girls to the reviewing stand.

Queen Margaret was crowned by Mrs. James Allan, wife of Lt.-Col. James Allan, officer commanding the First Battalion, Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.

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In slashing the estimates as much as it did, council exceeded the recommendations of city comptroller Dennis Young and even the hopes of many of the aldermen.

The comptroller had recommended that because of the burden this year on owners of older homes, council cut approximately \$230,000 from estimates for "special" expenditures aimed at development rather than maintenance. Council, still vigorous after

cutting a \$22,500 swath through ordinary parks and boulevards estimates of \$394,000, found another \$47,000 to cut from the special expenditures, on top of the recommended reductions.

For a start, the aldermen cut out \$53,572 for installation of arterial mercury lighting, as recommended by the comptroller.

City Manager C. C. Wyatt proposed that council at least leave money for new lighting on Oak Bay Avenue east of the Junction; it was just like driving into a tunnel, he said.

"It's desirable, but we can only go for necessities," said Mayor Percy Scurrell.

The council moved on to delete \$1,580 for extra lighting of three important intersections, a reduction not recommended.

### Cut Out Road Work

It cut out road work on Douglas beside Beacon Hill Park, Foul Bay from Oak Bay to Fort, Vancouver from Fort to Pandora and the Skinner extension, all as recommended, and half the price of a new deck for Johnson Street bridge, not recommended.

Traffic signals for Fort and Richmond were approved, but not a signal for Quadra and Johnson. The mayor said he used the intersection all the time and it wasn't bad.

Nor new signals for Johnson and Wharf — "What's wrong with that?" the mayor asked.

When it came to proposed expenditures for park development, council made a clean sweep, in line with the comptroller's recommendations, so fast that the other aldermen suddenly doubted that parks

chairman Ald. M. H. Mooney was aware of what they had done.

"I'm aware of it," he told them. "I'm just sitting back worrying about it. It was done in a flash, passed bango! The whole thing was hocus-pocus. Perhaps you could put the whole of parks out too the same way, without discussing it item by item."

"These small parks are important—little communities are entitled to some services. But bango, without discussion out they go."

On reflection, Ald. Hugh Ramsay proposed reinstating an estimate of \$5,670 for development of Pemberton Park, which he said council had promised the residents of the area as a condition of sale of city-owned lots.

"Alderman Ramsay, we just haven't got the money this year," the mayor told him.

### Wouldn't Go Away

Council wouldn't go along with the alderman's proposal, but later restored \$2,015 for development of Wesley playlot off Haultain.

After council's attacks on the parks budget, chiefly led by Ald. Geoffrey Edgewood, Ald. Mooney said he would oppose a grant for the Chamber of Commerce and an increased grant for the Victoria & Island Publicity Bureau. Like these bodies, the parks drew tourists to the city, he said.

The publicity bureau asked for a \$14,000 increase to its \$45,000 grant of last year. Alderman Mooney proposed reducing the grant.

"You are benefiting just the same as anyone else," Mayor Scurrell told him. "You annoy me more than some what. When we are spending \$400,000 on parks you have no right to complain."

Council, after considering Victoria's comparatively low per-capita spending on tourist attraction, voted to increase the grant by \$5,000.

The Chamber of Commerce asked for \$3,500 instead of the \$3,000 granted last year, but was given \$2,500.

Alderman Mooney also opposed allocating \$25,000 as usual this year for charitable and other grants. This year, he said, charity should start at home.

But council disagreed with him.

Council maintained the business tax at last year's rate.

"You can't increase that," Mayor Scurrell said. "We are taxing the merchants all they can stand."

## City Tax In Brief

MILL-RATE SET AT 49½¢, UP 2¼.

Increase for typical fairly modern house, \$10.50.

Increase for typical older home, \$38.50.

No increase in business tax.

Water rate may rise late in year.



DONALD GORDON  
... 'wasting time'

## Not Running CNR Right? 'Fire Us'

OTTAWA (CP)—CNR President Donald Gordon Wednesday told the Commons railway committee it should have him fired from his \$75,000-a-year job if it does not like the way he runs the railway.

The boss of North America's largest railway said bluntly to the committee that it is wasting time questioning him on small and local matters.

"I suggest," he said, "that you should be concerned more with how we eliminate our deficit rather than our serving cafeteria meals on trains."

"If you come to the conclusion that we are not an efficient management, for God's sake fire the lot of us."

## Logger Dies In Loading Accident

A Vancouver Island logger was killed when a log slipped during loading operations at the Bear Creek camp, Port Renfrew, yesterday.

Victim was Steven Kuznicki, about 50, of nearby Harris Creek.

Witnesses said Kuznicki was standing on top of a truck directing the loading when a short log slipped from the loading tongs and struck him on the head, knocking him from the truck onto the ground.

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